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Heavy rains drive up water levels

It wasn't that many weeks ago that people were worried about a summer of low water levels. Several dayss of heavy rain have quickly turned those concerns around and people are now worried about elevated levels, docks that are underwater and minor flooding in low-lying shoreline areas.

Heavy rains recieved over the course of the last few weeks have increased water levels and flows throughout the Haliburton Highlands watersheds. Two weeks ago, lakes throughout the county were 95% full, which is normal for this time of year. By week's end, they were at 103%.

According to Minden weather watcher Phil Graham, the area has already exceeded the usual monthly average rainfall. "We've had 4.8 inches of rain (129.2 mm) up to May 20," he said Saturday. "The average for May 4.5 to 5 inches."

Graham noted that the heavy rain and lightning storm which pounded the area on May 8 dropped 2 inches (53 mm) in a short period of time. That storm, along with a number of other intense rainfalls, has helped to fill area watersheds to above capacity.

The excess water was evident in the increased flow on the Gull River through Minden. The water was well above the traditional high water mark, the low spot on North Water Street was within inches of being flooded, and water was thundering over the edge of the Orillia power dam just upstream from Minden. (See photo at right.)

Water was released throughout the week in an attempt to minimize the effects of flooding during the holiday weekend. This higher flow continued through the weekend.

The high water levels here and sudden surge caused by the heavy rains have delayed the opening of the Trent Canal system. Scheduled to open May 19, the start of navigation through the locks was postponed because of the dangerous currents caused by the high flow. "We will assess the conditions again on Tuesday," says Trent Severn

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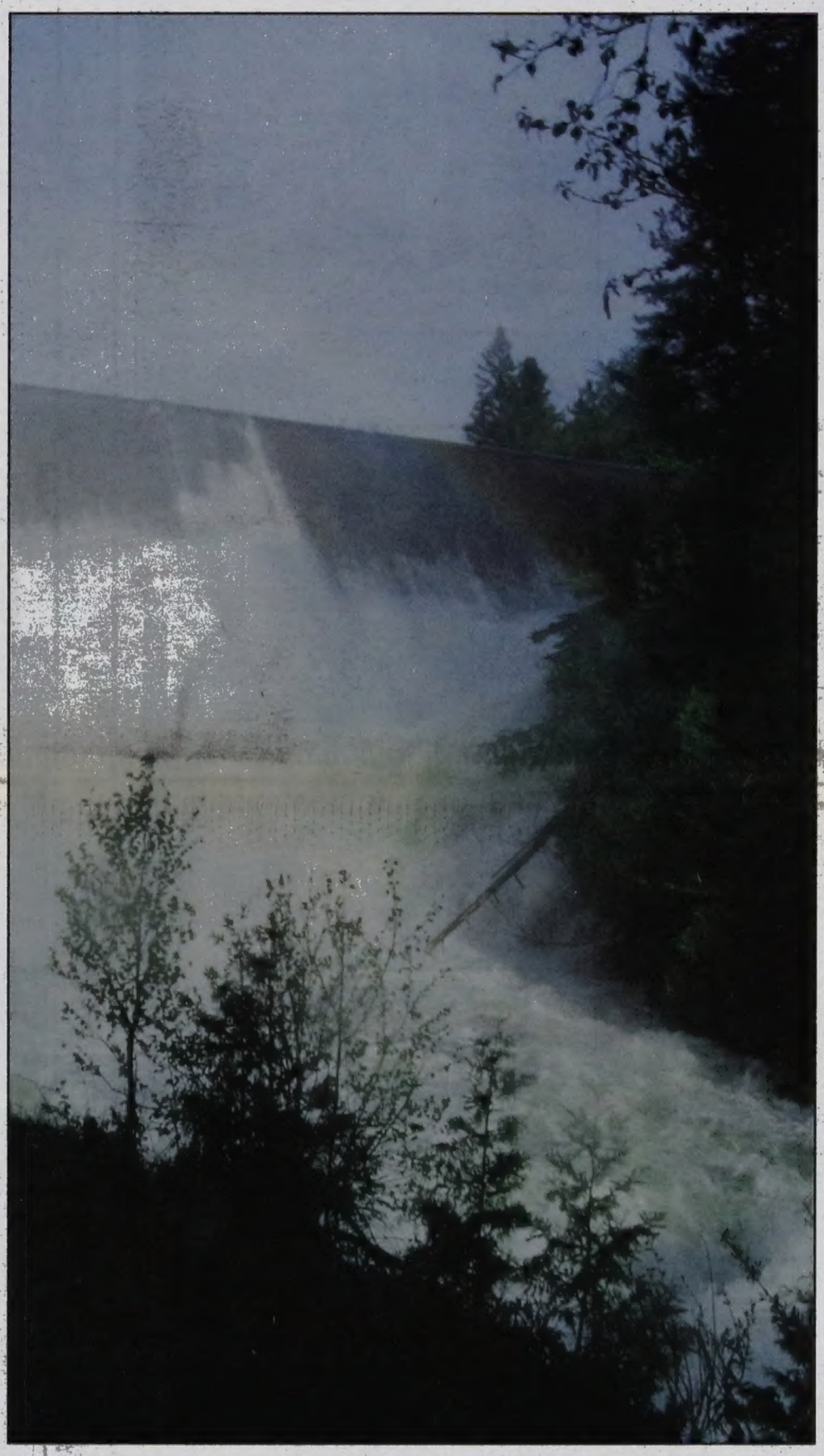

Pounding into the gorge below, water from Minden Lake throws up a dense mist and a rainbow as it slips over the top of the Orillia Power dam, upstream from Minden. The spectacular display is an indication of the excess water in the Gull River system at the moment.

Transition board sorting out the garbage issue

Garbage disposal is becoming a major issue in amalgamation talks. There is some confusion as to who will be able to dispose of garbage in which dump once municipal jurisdictions are combined.

The question was discussed at the May 17 meeting of Stanhope and Sherborne Transition Board. "We can't accept garbage from someone else's municipality," said Stanhope Reeve Eleanor Harrison. It is the understanding of a number of councillors that Ministry of Environment regulations will make it expensive or impossible for residents from one municipality to use the landfill site of another, even after the two government structures are amalgamated.

"If the Transition Board did something about it prior to January 1, maybe we would have better luck," the Stanhope reeve stated. The two municipalities are seeking clarification from the Ministry of the Environment whether landfill site certificates of approval need to be amended to recognize the new jurisdiction. The amendments would be costly and could result in some landfill sites being deemed unuseable.

"It has been recommended by the consultants that we address the issue during transition, and they are supposed to be the experts," said Sherborne Reeve Don Shortreed.

Stanhope Deputy Reeve Murray Daniels suggested applying a little pressure to the Ministry of Environment might help them see the problem faced by amalgamating municipalities. Sherborne Councillor Brian Lynch agreed, "The county needs to spearhead the application. The county should just say, 'You got us into this pickle, you get us out of it'. It would be a louder voice."

In other amalgamation news, the Transition Board has set the pay rates for elected positions. "If we can set the amounts now for people who are run-

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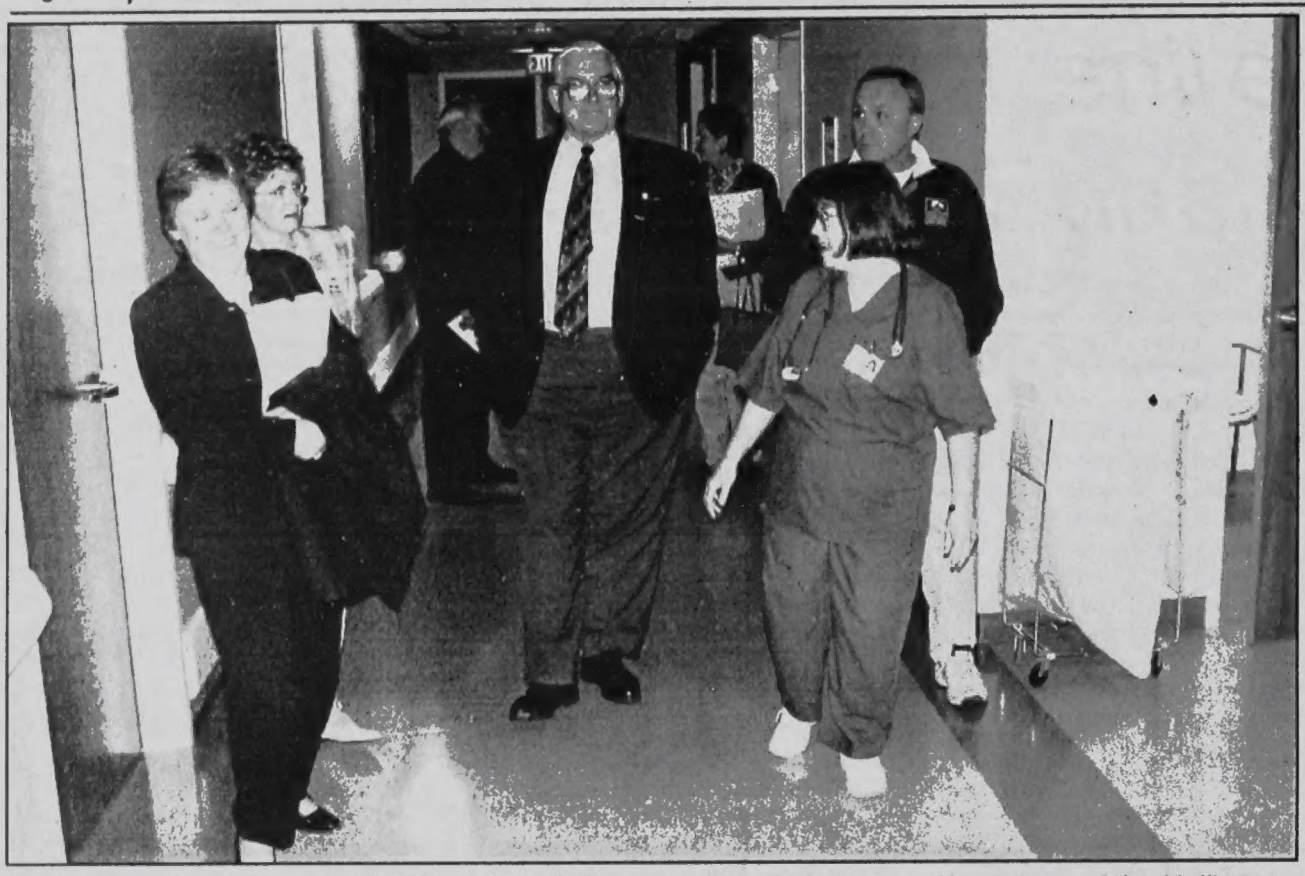

Members of the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation were given a tour of the Haliburton Hospital emergency department following their regular meeting Tuesday evening. The emergency department has been relocated to the south end of the former hospital, in completely renovated quarters. Nurse Mary Hamilton, left, took a moment to show the board members through the new facilities. Taking part in the tour, are, from the left, Foundation treasurer Joanne Camelon, manager Dale Walker, and directors Bruce Fleury, and Mac Gadway.

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Drawing the line: If Muskoka is part of Northern Ontario, why isn't Haliburton?

Haliburton County Warden Jeanne Anthon is wondering when it will be our turn.

She is referring to the announcement two weeks ago that the province now recognizes Muskoka as being part of Northern Ontario. The change in status for the region to the west was buried in the lengthy budget statement read by Treasurer Ernie Eves to the Provincial Legislature earlier this month. Eves represents Parry Sound Muskoka in the assembly.

"We have always said that Haliburton County should be considered part of Northern Ontario," the Warden said last week. "I think our needs and wants rise above those of Muskoka."

The Northern Ontario designation is innocuous on the surface, but behind it are numerous programs, special grants and additional funding designed to address the special needs of communities in the north. Included in these is the Northern Ontario Heritage Fund, a pool of $60 million per year which communities in Northern Ontario can tap into to assist with development. There are other provincial programs available to Northern Ontario communities as well as federal assistance which relies on the designation set by the province. Residents in areas designated as Northern Ontario pay a reduced fee to renew their vehicle licence plates each year. When the reduction was introduced more than 20 years ago, the government of the day said it was to help compensate for higher gasoline prices in the north and the longer distances between communities.

The Warden pointed out that the Muskoka region is doing well economically and is well served by the Highway 11 corridor and the rail lines. She said she will continue to pursue the matter with MPP Chris Hodgson.

A spokesman at the MPP's office said Hodgson is aware of the new designation for Muskoka, but pointed out that Haliburton County is in a position to take advantage of the Ontario Small Town and Rural Development Fund.

Not sure when waters levels will subside

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Waterway Manager Bruce Kitchen. "We may be able to tell when we can open by that time, and we may not, depending upon what has happened throughout the weekend."

The high levels here contrast with those reported on the Great Lakes where there has been a dramatic drop in water levels. The extremely high levels are not expected to last too long here, unless the rain returns in abundance.

All of the Kawartha lakes experienced rising levels throughout the week, the total rising from 108% to 114% of full capacity. This is slightly higher than normal. Though some levels ceased to rise last weekend and are now holding or falling. Stony Lake and Rice lake have continued to increase.

The elevated lake levels in the Kawarthas have also resulted in higher flow rates. The flow rate at Lakefield reached 151 m/s on May 12, exceeding the maximum safe navigation flow of 127 m/s. Currently, the flow at Lakefield is approximately 240 m/s.

Minden businesses must install meters

Commercial businesses in Minden will be required to have water metres installed by the end of this year.

Reeve Jeanne Anthon said the decision to have water usage metered at commercial establishments is "in the interest of water conservation and fairness."

The municipality will be providing a subsidy of $100 per business, which is expected to cover most of the cost of the installations. The reason for doing it that way was so businesses can choose which plumber they prefer to do the installation.

The current rates will apply until the end of this year and clerk-treasurer Tammy McKelvey said the next council may choose to continue the flat rate for some time into 2001 to monitor usage.

Dream weaver

Katie Jenkins from Toronto, tries her hand at spinning and weaving, with the help of Anne MacDonald, during the Summer Open House at The Pritchard House in Minden. Katie and her family were among many visitors this past holiday weekend who were in the Minden area.

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Busy volunteer always finds time to help

Mary Packard to receive Governor General's Caring Canadian Award

by Matthew Sitler

Hot food, beautiful flowers and friendly conversation are just some of the things people enjoy once they get to know Mary Packard. The long-time Haliburton resident and War Bride will be receiving the Governor General's Caring Canadian Award on a yet-to-be-set date. The award will be presented to Packard because of the many years of volunteer service she has provided to various community projects throughout her lifetime.

Packard was a founding member of the local horticultural society and continues to tend the public flower beds in Haliburton Village. She was also a volunteer Girl Guide leader and is presently involved with church activities and executive committees. Other volunteering services include canvassing for non-profit organizations and conducting historical guided tours of the village, dressed in period costume. Packard, who has been retired from her job as librarian for 14 years, will be among 61 individuals across Canada who will be receiving the award.

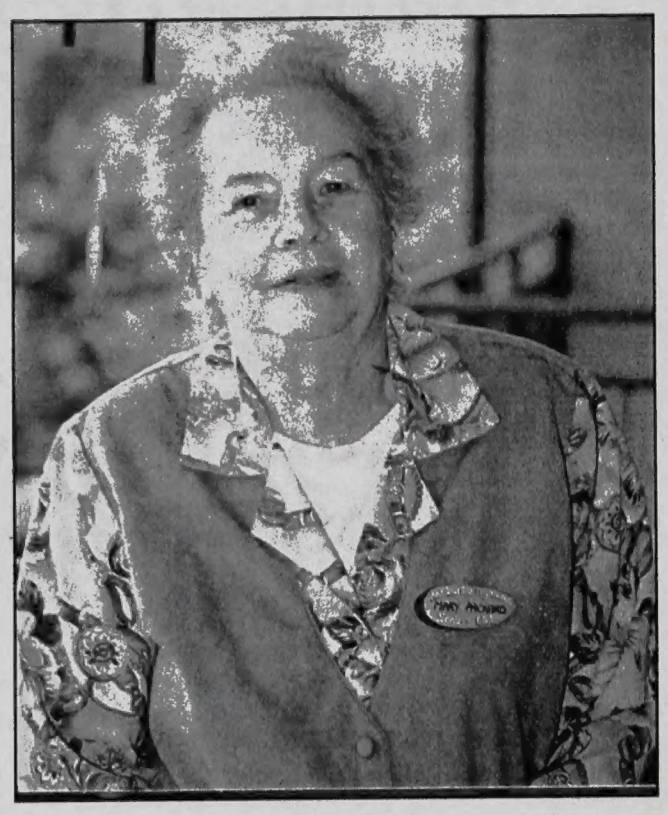
"I feel embarrassed, because I don't think I do that much," laughs an obviously humble Packard. 'Not doing that much' has garnered Packard other recognition in the past. Mary received the Senior Achievement Award in 1998, "in recognition of outstanding contributions to the citizens of Ontario," which was presented to her by Lieutenant Governor of Ontario Hilary Weston. Packard also received the award for "Outstanding Volunteer Service to the Community of Haliburton County", November 15, 1996 from Ontario Premier Mike Harris.

"I don't do as much now, but I still look after the flower beds in town," says Packard. "I also work for the United Church, picking people up and taking them to the service."

In the past, Packard served as President of the United Church Women. Even though she was busy with many activities, she also found time to serve the community as a librarian for 20 years at the Dysart branch. "Actually, I was a Secretary Manager," says Packard. "I'd deliver books and films to people. Films were a big thing then, we had a collection from the National Film Board. Before videos were available, I would go over to what is now Extendicare, on my Friday afternoon lunch hour, and show films." Packard continues this work with Extendicare, in a volunteering role as well. "I usually help with Bingo, and if anything comes up like bazaars. I am involved with Scottish Country dancing, and we dance once a month there."

Packard says she enjoys moving around. This helps with yet another volunteer service she provides, the "Wheels to Meals" program which runs through Home Support Services. "It's every two weeks. I pick people up and we go out to have Chinese food."

It would seem that helping people in general is what Mary Packard does best and this compassionate attitude is a quality that has brought her deserved recognition. "If anybody wants a ride some place, I am always available," she says.



Caring Canadian
Mary Packard works with the "Wheels to Meals" program among many other volunteer efforts.

A short but successful season for HCSA

There's no business like snow business. The Haliburton County Snowmobile Association (HCSA) held its annual general meeting/elections on Saturday, May 13 at PineStone resort. Reports from various committees were presented, along with a report detailing membership issues, before the elections got under way.

"When I see the volume going through the club," said treasurer Joachim Matysek, "The debts are not that bad." Matysek presented the HCSA's 2000 balance sheet which listed bad debts as totalling $565. Total assets for the club reached $581,621.67. In a comparison of profit and loss figures with last year, Matysek presented the association with a permit sale total of $365,333.46, as opposed to $329,032.00 from the May 98 - April 99 season. The increase, said Matysek "Was attributable to increase in the actual permits cost, not the amount of permits sold." Ending his positive report, Matysek moved that the association accept it and have it reviewed by an accountant.

The building report, presented by Building Chairman Peter Overington revealed that "significant events" occurred during the past year. There was a break-in to the club building, the facility hired a cleaner, there was a new garage door installed and a new furnace was purchased but is yet to be installed. The furnace was paid for mostly through donations. Overington suggested that the association reconsider resurfacing the yard around the building. Other maintenance work could include digging up the septic tank, as the lines had frozen during winter. Other than paying down the mortgage, the objective was to "Maintain the building at the state it was bought in, if not better," said Overington.

Land use chairperson Anne Reynolds told the meeting she, "Enjoyed meeting with land owners," adding that "we need them for our trails."

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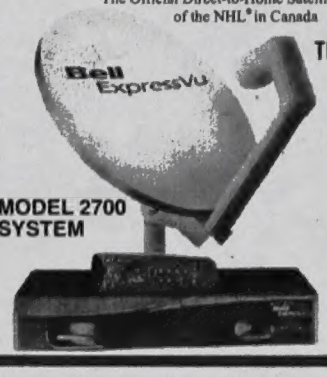

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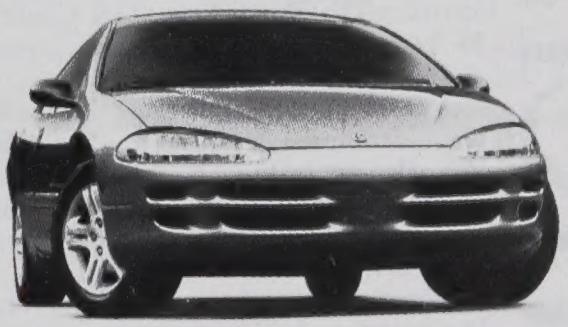

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Editorial

Redrawing the line

"East is east and west is west and never the twain shall meet," a philosopher once said. Being a wise person, he knew it would be folly to attempt to define the same parametres on a north/south axis. Perhaps he had a premonition of what the future might hold, especially in the province of the trillium.

Quietly, with little fanfare, Ernie Eves announced that Muskoka, that hard done by, impoverish part of this great province, was to be considered part of that giant land mass that separates us by two days from the friendly folks of Manitoba. The announcement, slipped between the lines of the province's budget, held many more implications that just the redrafting of a line on some map.

Northern Ontario status means all sorts of economic incentive programs are now available to the good folks of Muskoka. Both the federal and provincial governments recognize the northern part of the province as one needing a helping hand and have tailored a variety of incentives to help encourage economic growth there.

Fair enough. But if Muskoka qualifies for this sort of support, surely the Haliburton Highlands should be included as well. As Warden Jeanne Anthon pointed out, Muskoka already enjoys the benefits of a transportation infrastructure that has helped fuel economic growth throughout the region. The warden, and we are sure other politicians in the county, would be delighted to see the same consideration given to the the Highlands.

This community is not above helping itself to succeed, but if there are incentives to be shared around, those in greatest need should certainly be at the top of the list.

Finally, it would be interesting to hear the reaction of the good burghers of Wawa or Longlac when they are told that Muskoka, a region dotted with million dollar cottages, just three hours north of Toronto, indeed the district that is Toronto for all intents and purposes ten weeks of the year, is now part of "Northern" Ontario.

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Letters

Fresh start for log chute campaign

Editor:

Anger. Disappointment. Defeat. Frustration.

These are all the emotions I felt when I searched the website and found the answer: The Hawk Lake Log Chute Restoration Project did not receive Millennium Funding.

The project met all the criteria, and was accompanied by more than $48,000 in cash and in-kind donations. The application was revised twice on the advice of the Millennium Bureau assessment officer assigned to the file. It just didn't make the final cut. However, Haliburton wasn't overlooked completely and several local projects did receive funding. I would like to congratulate them and encourage the public to support them.

When something like this happens you can wallow in defeat or forge ahead with renewed enthusiasm. I've done the former and am now gearing up for the latter: there's lot of money out there, we'll just get it somewhere else!

I have been researching grants and have been working on an application to the Heritage Challenge Fund, a new $10 million program designed for projects involving heritage structures. Yesterday I received two calls from the Ministry of Citizenship and Culture regarding this new program and the gentleman to whom I spoke wants this project to apply — how encouraging!

I want to thank everyone who has donated money, time, labour, machinery, manpower and advice to this unique and valuable project. Remember that this is the only log chute left in the entire province. It will be rebuilt. And it will be a heritage site of both provincial significance and local pride.

Naturally, donations are still being accepted, and will continue to be accepted. After all, once we rebuild it we have to maintain it so we don't have to do this again!

Again, a huge thank you to all supporters and donors and to our local newspapers for coverage. Donations can be made to the Stanhope Log Chute Fund, RR #2, Minden, K0M 2K0. Or call me at 489-3554.

Carol Moffatt,
Project Co-ordinator.

French Immersion works

Editor:

Last summer I spent two weeks camping in Quebec with two grandchildren. Both have been in French Immersion.

On playgrounds, both had no trouble fitting in and communicating perfectly with children who knew no English. In restaurants, they did the ordering and some waitresses thought they were local Quebecois.

Prior to the trip, I was somewhat sceptical of French Immersion. No longer. It works for children who start at the earliest age possible. I'm delighted that youngsters in Haliburton County are now being given this opportunity.

Morris Duff,
Minden.

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Doing their part to keep Haliburton County Clean

Editor:

Once more the property owners on Canning Lake will be donning their rubber boots and work gloves to pick up trash along the County and Township Roads around Canning Lake. As our green road signs indicate we try to "Keep Haliburton County Beautiful".

This P.I.G. Day - "pitch in garbage" has become an annual event - an event we'd rather NOT have! We would much prefer to be sunning on our docks, or boating, water-skiing, or fishing on our beautiful lake - not plodding through water filled ditches or tall grass picking up other people's garbage - styrofoam cups, pop cans, beer bottles, disposable diapers, brown lunch bags, plastic buckets, laundry baskets, etc.

Why do people litter? Do they toss their garbage on their own yards? Why toss it on our yards? Do they think the trash they toss from their vehicles all winter will simply disappear into the snow? Why can't they carry a garbage bag in their vehicle to be emptied in their home garbage can?

We on Canning Lake chose to reside here because of it's natural beauty. Please do not mar this by tossing your trash along the roadsides. Our men, women, and children will be out Saturday, July 8 at 10 a.m., cleaning the roadsides.

The Canning Lake Property Owners Association is "Environmentally Friendly". Please show your support by keeping your trash at home.

Lois Rigney
Vice President of the C.L.P.O.A.

Sad or angry

Editor:

A. Holden's letter in *The Times* of May 8 expresses the feelings of many people in Victoria County. I have not talked to one person who approves of the new name.

"City" gives the wrong picture of our part of the world. A few people in Victoria think that it is so ridiculous that it is funny. Everyone else is either sad or angry. Harry Kitchen did not think through his marvelous new name. If every company, club or association using the name "Victoria" has to change to "City of Kawartha Lakes", it will cost untold thousands of dollars.

Sandy and I were born, raised, and worked for many years in Victoria County. It will always be "Victoria" to us in spite of P.C.'s and Harry Kitchen.

Bill Valentine,
Lutterworth.

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The Times welcomes signed letters to the editor on subjects of interest to our readers. Short letters are most likely to be chosen for publication, but the use of any material is at the discretion of the editor. The editor reserves the right to edit letters to meet space requirements, for clarity or to avoid obscenity, libel or invasion of privacy. Upon request, names may be withheld, but only very rarely and for compelling reasons. Letters published do not necessarily reflect the editorial policies or beliefs of this newspaper. All letters must bear the handwritten signature of the writer and include the address and phone number for verification purposes.

Arthur Black

Tanks for the memories

Well, how about it - is the spiralling cost of gasoline driving you squirrelly?

Are you about ready to take that high octane gasoline nozzle and stick it where the sun doesn't shine?

Here's a heretical thought for you: we aren't paying enough at the pumps. It's not my argument. It comes from the lips of William E. Rees, an economist and a professor at the University of British Columbia. And I'm not sure he's wrong.

What the professor has done is add up the hidden costs of each liter of gas we buy when we fill 'er up. The health costs, for instance, of all that pollution associated with the burning of fossil fuels. The environmental degradation. The millions of dollars our government forks over to the Big Oil Boys in the form of lavish subsidies and generous tax breaks. Professor Rees reckons that if we were really paying the freight, each liter of gas we buy would cost us anywhere from 2 bucks to $5.40 a pop.

Maybe he's right.

I do know that we humans have an ongoing love affair with our cars. And we all know that love is blind. A couple of years ago I visited the city of Florence, Italy. Florence is one of the great urban treasures on the planet. Unbelievable architecture. Breathtaking paintings and sculptures. Exquisite piazzas and galleries and streets. I couldn't wait to get out of the place. Florence...stinks.

It is polluted with honking, spewing, farting vehicles that befoul the air, clog the lungs and befuddle the mind.

If Michaelangelo or Cellini or Giotto were to revisit their beloved metropolis, I know they would run, screaming for the Tuscany hills. Dante would think he'd found his Inferno.

The internal combustion engine has turned Florence into a screeching, fume-shrouded, lung-searing urban nightmare. Saddest thing of all, hardly anyone seems to notice.

It's a little different in Canada - we have more space - but we depend even more on the automobile. And the end result isn't any prettier. Rush hour in Vancouver or Montreal or Toronto isn't that different from rush hour in Rome, Paris or Singapore - it's still bloody awful. Actually if you've got a twisted sense of humour, it's ever so slightly hilarious.

In London, rush-hour traffic now moves more slowly than it did a hundred years ago when people travelled on foot and by horse. Some places - in Western Europe particularly — are just beginning to fight back. Governments there are beginning to discern the obvious civic benefits (and municipal savings) of improved bus and street car systems and seriously dedicated bicycle lanes.

Last fall, 150 cities in France, Italy and Switzerland got together and agreed to ban automobiles completely for one day.

Some cities, like Verona and Siena, have said to hell with it, and banned cars entirely. In Paris a few months ago, more than two dozen government ministers showed up for a cabinet meeting riding bicycles and electric scooters Even Ottawa has made noises about kicking some money back into our national Via Rail passenger service which it's been quietly strangling for decades. All of which makes our grousing and mewling about the price of gasoline faintly silly.

Seventy-five cents a liter for gas got you down? That works out to what — $2.50 a gallon?

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Mmmmmmm!! There's nothing like frozen yogurt on a hot summer day! That's what people in Minden will be thinking when they visit "Simply Irresistibles" at 116 Main Street. The new business opened last Wednesday, May 10, and offers a delicious combination of frozen yogurt and ice cream blended with fruit.

On the sugary side, the shop offers bags of candy and soft drinks as well. Crafts and candles along with hanging baskets offer an interesting complement to the sweets. "We would like to help boost the downtown core," says Co-manager Bonny Ackerblade. Ackerblade's daughter Christy owns the shop which is a brand new venture. In the near future, (hopefully by July 1,) the shop will offer specialty cakes. Simply Irresistibles hopes to stay open all year round. The store hours are 10 a.m.-7 p.m. during the week, except on Wednesdays which will be 10 a.m.-6 p.m. The shop is closed on Sundays. Bonnie Ackerblade is seen at the left with a sample of her refreshing fare.

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Summer classes offered to upgrade literacy skills

Grade 7, 8 and 9 students in the Trillium Lakelands District School Board will have a new opportunity this summer to improve their basic English and math skills at non-credit courses being held throughout the district. "This is an excellent opportunity for students who might be having some difficulties to get individualized attention in a low-stress learning environment," says Dr. Andy Scott, superintendent responsible for secondary schools.

The programs for grade 7 and 8 students will focus on individual needs, and be based on teachers' recommendations. Grade 9 students will have a chance to upgrade their skills in a structured environment. In both cases, students' participation needs to be recommended by their principal.

Information on the programs will be distributed by the principals. The programs will be offered from Wednesday, July 5 to Friday, July 21 at sites in Bracebridge, Fenelon Falls, Gravenhurst, Haliburton, Huntsville and Lindsay. A minimum of 15 students will be needed at any given location for the program to go ahead.

Summer credit courses for high school students will be offered at the board's community learning centres in Bracebridge, Gravenhurst, Huntsville and, for the first time, Haliburton. Students in Victoria County will have the opportunity to enrol in summer school programs offered in Peterborough. Further information is available from area schools.

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Sports

HHSS badminton players excel at OFSAA

Two badminton players from Haliburton Highlands Secondary School ranked 12th in all of Ontario at the OFSAA competitions May 4-6 in Sudbury. Amy Pergolas and Nick Kulas earned a silver medal in the senior mixed pairs division at the COSSA competition in Belleville, earning a berth in the All-Ontario finals. They came home with fourth place medals in the C Division of the OFSAA competition.

They competed in the C division after losing their first two games on May 4. They bounced back with two wins on May 5 and then lost in the finals on May 6.

"We were really happy," Kulas said. "There were over 350 competitors at the event. Four of our matches went to three games."

Both HHSS competitors said they had a great time at OFSAA.

"I loved it," Pergolas said. "It was different from what we were used to."

She explained that some of the competitors who took part in the All-Ontario event live and breathe badminton.

"Some of them play year-round," she said.

The local duo, coached by HHSS teacher Jason Morissette, didn't even start practice until the end of March. Morissette put the team together.

Pergolas noted that it was Morissette's first year coaching badminton. She credits Morissette's insight with the success of the team.

"It was a really good experience," Kulas said. "It was a very prestigious tournament.

HHSS sent three teams and one single player to the COSSA competition — men's, women's and mixed teams and a single woman. Abbey Pearsell won a bronze in the women's singles, just one spot out of advancing to OFSAA.

Coach Morissette said his badminton players packed a lot of hours of work into a short season.

"I was really proud of them," he said. "They did quite well."

Morissette said the badminton competition is especially tough, with about 18,000 players from across the province vying for a shot at the OFSAA tournament. Only the very best get the chance to compete at that level.

"I was talking to one team and they said they had been playing together since they were seven years old, almost 11 years," he said.

Once they got started, the HHSS badminton players practiced two hours a day, five days a week. By comparison some of the competitors spent up to four hours a day for almost the entire year on their way to OFSAA.

"It's harder to make it to OFSAA in badminton than it is in most other sports," Morissette said.

AMONG TOP 12 IN ONTARIO: Jason Morissette (right) coached Nick Kulas and Amy Pergolas to 12th overall in Ontario at the OFSAA badminton championships in Sudbury. They finished fourth in the C Division at OFSAA, competing for top honours among more than 350 high school badminton players from across the province.

68 compete at Kawartha Track Meet

Track and field athletes from Haliburton Highlands Secondary School performed very well at the Kawartha District Track and Field Meet at St. Mary's Secondary School in Cobourg on Thursday, May 11. Following are the results of those who finished in the top 12 places in their respective events:

Aggett, Lance
Shot Put, Midget Men 12.88m, 2nd
Triple Jump, Midget Men, 9.42m, 9th
Ambridge, Alex
800 M Run Junior Men, 2:25.2, 8th
2,000 M Steeplechase (Open), 7:33.8, 3rd
Bain, Jordana
100 M Low Hurdles, Senior Women, 20.8, 8th
400 M High Hurdles, Senior Women, 1:13.7, 2nd
Bain, Travis

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100 M Low Hurdles, Midget Men, 15.8, 1st
300 M High Hurdles, Midget Men, 46.3, 1st
Shot Put Midget Men, 12.84m, 3rd

Baumhour, Shane
Discus Throw, Midget Men, 30.40m, 3rd
Javelin Throw, Midget Men, 33.74m, 4th
Long Jump, Midget Men, 4.38m, 11th

Belcher, Josh
Triple Jump, Senior Men, 9.74m, 12th

Bell, Eric
Javelin Throw, Midget Men, 23.90m, 9th

Brandon, Amy
100 M, Senior Women, 14.7, 6th

Brown, Matt
400 M, Senior Men, 1:08.3, 9th
400 M High Hurdles, Senior Men, 1:16.4, 3rd
Pole Vault, Senior Men, 2.60m, 1st

Butz, Cedric
Shot Put, Midget Men, 12.19m, 5th
Discus Throw, Midget Men, 27.06m, 6th

Campbell, Kate
100 M, Senior Women, 13.9, 2nd
400 M, High Hurdles Senior Women, 01:10.2, 1st

Campbell, Shane
Pole Vault, Junior Men, 3.05m, 1st
Shot Put, Senior Men, 11.21m, 3rd
Javelin Throw, Senior Men, 26.72m, 8th

Cochrane, Nick
200 M, Senior Men, 25.6, 4th

Cooper, Joel
Discus Throw, Midget Men, 27.62m, 5th

Cooper, Nicole
Shot Put, Senior Women, 8.60m, 4th
Discus Throw, Senior Women, 27.44m, 1st
Javelin Throw, Senior Women, 23.46m, 4th

Cox, Katie
80 M Low Hurdles, Junior Women, 14.4, 1st
Long Jump, Junior Women, 4.10m, 3rd
Triple Jump, Junior Women, 8.72m, 5th

Curry, Scott
100 M, Junior Men, 12.3, 2nd
110 M Low Hurdles, Junior Men, 16.2, 1st

Dron, Liane
Shot Put, Junior Women, 9.78m, 1st
Discus Throw, Junior Women, 30.58m, 1st

Duncombe, Ian
100 M, Senior Men, 12.5, 4th
Long Jump, Senior Men, 5.33m, 9th
Triple Jump, Senior Men, 11.10m, 10th

Dunn, Chelsea
Shot Put, Midget Women, 6.36m, 10th
Discus Throw, Midget Women, 15.78m, 7th
Javelin Throw, Midget Women, 10.94m, 12th

English, Morgan
Pole Vault, Midget Men, 2.15m, 3rd

Fry, Kira
Shot Put, Midget Women, 6.82m, 8th
Discus Throw, Midget Women, 15.34m, 9th
Javelin Throw, Midget Women, 18.94m, 5th

Gauley, Brad
300 M High Hurdles, Junior Men, 48.2, 4th

Harrison, Greg
300 M High Hurdles, Midget Men, 52.5, 7th

Harvey, Sean
Discus Throw, Senior Men, 22.44m, 10th
Javelin Throw, Senior Men, 35.18m, 4th
Long Jump, Senior Men. 5.26m 11th

Hie, Cassie
100 M Low Hurdles, Senior Women, 17.9, 3rd
Javelin Throw, Senior Women, 19.88m, 7th

Horning, Shea
110 M Low Hurdles, Junior Men, 29.7, 6th

Howe, Tiffany
Long Jump, Senior Women, 3.61m, 5th
Triple Jump, Senior Women, 7.36m, 7th

Howitt, Melanie
200 M, Midget Women, 30.8, 4th
400 M, Midget Women, 1:17.0, 7th

Huck, Carrie
Long Jump, Senior Women, 3.60m, 6th
Triple Jump, Senior Women, 7.97m, 5th

Johnston, Jamie
Shot Put, Senior Men, 10.39m, 6th
Discus Throw, Senior Men, 19.74m, 12th

Jung, Chris
100 M Low Hurdles, Midget Men, 18.8, 5th
300 M High Hurdles, Midget Men, 50.9, 5th
Javelin Throw, Midget Men, 34.28m, 3rd

Kennedy, Meghan
100 M, Senior Women, 14.3, 5th
Long Jump, Senior Women, 3.73m, 3rd

Lee, Jessica
200 M, Midget Women, 29.3, 1st
300 M High Hurdles, Midget Women, 58.9, 1st

Lowes, Shane
Triple Jump, Junior Men, 10.39m, 4th
Pole Vault, Junior Men, 2.60m, 2nd

Mackenzie, Keegan
100 M, Junior Women, 14.3, 3rd
200 M, Junior Women, 31.8, 8th

Malloy, Shona
Shot Put, Midget Women, 7.04m, 7th
Discus Throw, Midget Women, 21.58m, 2nd
Javelin Throw, Midget Women, 14.44m, 7th

McElwain, Matt
100 M, Junior Men, 13.0, 7th
200 M, Junior Men. 26.1, 5th
Long Jump, Junior Men, 4.39m, 12th

McKnight, Aidan
400 M High Hurdles, Senior Men, 1:06.0, 1st
Long Jump, Senior Men, 4.83m, 12th

Moore, Jen
Javelin Throw, Junior Women, 19.14m, 10th

Nichol, Andre
Pole Vault, Midget Men, 1.85m, 5th

Pearsell, Lesley
Shot Put, Junior Women, 7.20m, 12th
Discus Throw, Junior Women, 19.30m, 11th

Powers, Dylan
100 M, Midget Men, 13.3, 7th
400 M, Midget Men, 1:00.0, 6th
Triple Jump, Midget Men, 9.90m, 7th

Ratz, Stephanie
800 M Run, Senior Women, 2:41.7, 1st
1,500 M, Senior Women, 5:22.4, 1st
3,000 M, Senior Women, 12:20.3, 4th

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Some of the Carnarvon Lanes bowlers who won medals in the Senior Games competitions included, left to right: Fred Gregory, Barbara Gamble, Ken Thompson, Jackie Chamberlain and Jim Chamberlain.

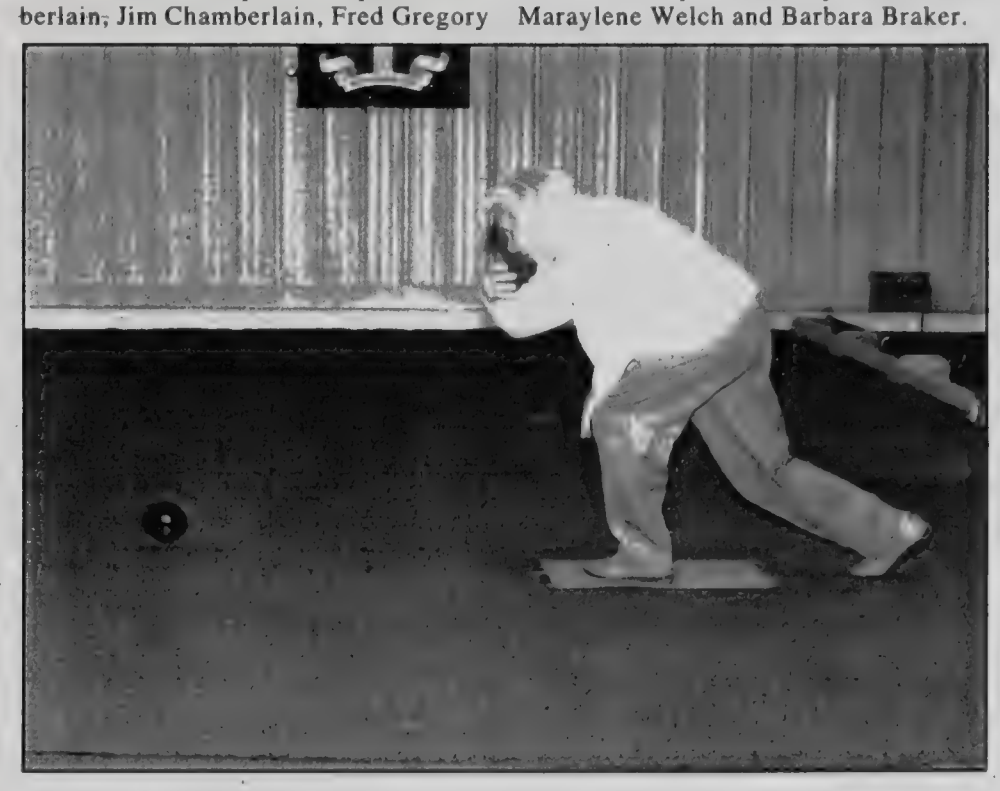
Local bowlers win all three medals at Senior Games

Local bowlers did exceptionally well at the Haliburton-Muskoka division of the Ontario Senior Games. The Haliburton-Muskoka bowling competition was held at Carnarvon Lanes.

The gold medal was won by the team of Ken Thompson, Jacquie Chamberlain, Jim Chamberlain, Fred Gregory and Barb Gamble.

The team of Josie Cheesman, Jean Stead, Bill Stead, Helen Dentinger and Ben Dentinger earned the silver medal.

Rounding a Carnarvon sweep by winning the bronze medal were, Bob Webb, Shirley Webb, Myra Marshall, Maraylene Welch and Barbara Braker.



LET THE ACTION BEGIN: The Minden Indoor Lawn Bowling Club got back into the swing of things last week with a few days of warm-up bowling and welcoming new members. The competition gets under way in earnest this week at the Minden Curling Club. Madge Bennett (above) delivers a bowl during Friday's Fun Night.

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BASE HIT: Yvonne Casper of Team Two connects with a hit during the opening night of the Minden Mixed Lob Ball League season Wednesday. In spite of a couple of over-the-fence home runs by Craig Smith, Team Two was defeated by Team Seven. The league will play five games every Wednesday evening until the wrap-up tournament, which is scheduled for Sunday, September 24.

HHSS relay teams earn six top three finishes at Kawartha

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Shot Put, Senior Men, 12.10m, 1st
Discus Throw, Senior Men, 36.76m, 1st
Javelin Throw, Senior Men, 32.54m, 6th

Rico, Diego
Shot Put, Junior Men, 9.91m, 10th
Discus Throw, Junior Men, 24.70m, 8th
Javelin Throw, Junior Men, 32.44m, 10th

Roberts, Kori
Shot Put, Junior Women, 8.10m, 8th
Discus Throw, Junior Women, 21.96m, 6th
Javelin Throw, Junior Women, 27.74m, 4th

Robertson, Lindsey
400 M, Senior Women, 1:12.9, 4th
100 M Low Hurdles, Senior Women, 19.3, 6th
400 M High Hurdles, Senior Women, 1:22.8, 3rd

Scalf, Ebony
400 M, Junior Women, 1:15.7, 10th
300 M High Hurdles, Junior Women, 1:05.4, 5th

Schell, Dan
400 M, Midget Men, 1:10.5, 12th

Shim, Janet
Triple Jump, Midget Women, 8.24m, 7th

Sisson, Cayley
400 M, Senior Women, 1:09.1, 3rd
Triple Jump, Senior Women, 8.59m, 3rd
Pole Vault, Open Women, 2.30m, 2nd

Sisson, Kristin
Shot Put, Senior Women, 8.16m, 5th
Discus Throw, Senior Women, 18.78m, 6th
Javelin Throw, Senior Women, 15.92m, 9th

Swan, Jessica
80 M Low Hurdles, Junior Women, 15.1, 3rd

Tomlinson, Adam
Shot Put, Junior Men, 12.28m, 2nd
Discus Throw, Junior Men, 39.46m, 1st

Walker, Justin
400 M, Midget Men, 59.5, 4th
Long Jump, Midget Men, 4.45m, 9th

White, Ryan
200 M, Senior Men, 26.1, 6th
400 M, Senior Men, 1:00.2, 6th

Wilkinson, T.J.
200 M, Senior Men, 28.6, 11th
400 M, Senior Men, 1:05.5, 8th

Relay summary
4x100 M, Midget Men, 50.6, 3rd
4x100 M, Midget Men B, 54.6, 8th
4x100 M, Junior Men, 51.7, 8th
4x100 M, Junior Men B, 52.5, 12th
4x100 M, Senior Men, 1:00.1, 1st
4x100 M, Senior Men B, 1:00.5, 5th
4x400 M, Open Men, 3:51.7, 2nd
4x400 M, Open Men B, 4:14.0, 10th
4x100 M, Midget Women, 1:00.5, 5th
4x100 M, Junior Women, 55.3, 2nd
4x100 M, Senior Women, 54.5, 3rd
4x100 M, Senior Women B, 1:00.8, 7th
4x400 M, Open Women, 4:37.9, 2nd
4x400 M, Open Women B, 5:27.6, 10th

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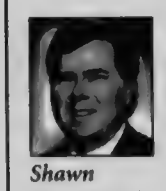

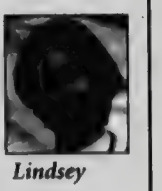

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29 individuals and four relay teams advance to Regionals

by Walter Tose

Some 70 athletes from HHSS competed at the COSSA Track and Field Meet held Thursday, May 18 at St. Mary's High School in Cobourg.

HHSS had a strong showing, with 29 individual competitors and four relay teams moving on to Kingston this week, where the East Regional Qualifying Meet for the All Ontario championships will be held.

The following competitors have qualified for this meet. Asterisks are placed beside those who had outstanding performances Thursday.

Lance Aggett 4th - Shot Put
Jordana Bain 2nd - 400M Hurdles
** Travis Bain 1st - 100M Hurdles, 1st - 300 M Hurdles, 2nd Shot Put
Shane Baumhour 3rd - Javelin
Amy Brandon 5th - 200M
Matt Brown 1st - Pole Vault
** Kate Campbell 2nd - 100M 1st - 200M, 1st - 400M Hurdles and a new meet record of 1:06
Shane Campbell 2nd - Pole Vault
Nicole Cooper 1st - Discus, 5th - Javelin
Katie Cox 5th - 80M Hurdles
Scot Curry 1st - 110M Hurdles
** Liane Dron 2nd - Shot Put, 1st - Discus
Morgan English 2nd - Pole Vault
Sean Harvey 4th - Javelin
Cassie Hie 2nd - 100M Hurdles
Melanie Howitt 4th - 200M
** Jessica Lee 2nd - 200M, 3rd - 300M Hurdles
Shane Lowes 3rd - Pole Vault
Shona Malloy 5th - Discus Throw
Aidan McKnight 3rd - 400M Hurdles
Andre Nichol 4th - Pole Vault
Dylan Powers 4th - 400M
** Stephanie Ratz 2nd - 800M, 4th - 1500M, 5th - 3000M
** Matt Reid 2nd - Shot Put, 1st - Discus
Kori Roberts 3rd - Discus, 2nd - Javelin
Lindsey Robertson 5th - 400M Hurdles
** Caley Sisson 5th - 400M, 2nd - Pole Vault
Adam Tomlinson 5th - Shot Put
Justin Walker 5th - 400M

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4 X 100 Senior Women 2nd
4 X 100 Senior Men 2nd
4 X 400 Senior Women 3rd

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Haliburton Highlands: Looking for a new image

The selection of a new "brand" image for Haliburton County is closer than you think.

"Currently there is a need to create a new image brand for the county," said Haliburton Highlands Chamber of Commerce manager Peter Rigby. An image brand is a logo or slogan (sometimes a combination of both) which is synonymous with a community or with a product. The current image brand of Haliburton County, which is the landscape/sunrise image coupled with the slogan "Closer than you think," has been around for some time, and will be replaced with a brand image that is new, contemporary and synonymous with Haliburton County.

The current Haliburton Highlands logo above. Below are some samples of the designs created by Kenneth Caplan and Associates.

"The image brand will be stage one in the whole marketing program that will be completed for the county's tourism and economic development," says Rigby.

The marketing committee hopes to create an image/name that will provide an automatic reference to the Haliburton Highlands in the minds of those viewing it. "It is becoming very important in the marketing of a community to have these things," said Rigby. "Image brand is the very first piece, the trigger, that people recognize. We are basically going to put Haliburton on the map, so we have to be able to compete not only regionally, but also globally."

At a Minden Marketing and Economic Diversification meeting held on Tuesday, May 16, the company Kenneth Caplan & Associates Ltd. was selected to develop the brand image for Haliburton County. The Markham-based company has been heavily involved with brand imaging for a number of years. It has helped such communities North Bay, Thunder Bay, Parry Sound, Mississauga, York Region and Wassaga Beach design a brand image. Rigby said there will be a number of initial implementation steps which will begin with a public information session to be held on Thursday, June 8, 7:30 p.m. at Pinestone Resort. This meeting will give residents a chance to contribute to the concept and image that is to be developed.

From there, three to four concepts will be developed and presented to the Marketing and Economic Diversification Committee. At this point, the committee will review the ideas and make recommendations as to which particular concept fits best within the parameters of what they are trying to achieve, and also to suggest any changes that are felt to be needed.

There will be an additional public session where the brand will be presented to the general public. This process will then continue with what is referred to as "Focus Groups" - set groups of individuals who represent the general population. They will take a look at the concept, design and slogan, their reaction will be measured, and whether the idea will make people think of Haliburton.

"They won't be doing this (focus groups) locally. It will be done in Toronto and Ottawa," says Rigby. "What we are getting is basically a non-prejudicial view of what people are looking at."

Final adjustments, which will be based on focus-group outcomes, will be presented to the committee. "Some of the things they may do at the focus group is say 'We don't like the colour,' or 'maybe we need to change this or that a little bit'," says Rigby. "The image itself will be owned by the county. But it may be used by any authorised group in their marketing."

While the chamber will be the main user of the image and brand's marketing materials, if other groups are interested in using it, through permission they may add this to their marketing materials as well.

It builds a marketing strategy for the community that will not only strengthen the area's image but indelibly imprint upon the minds of the general public, the specific image brand of Haliburton County.

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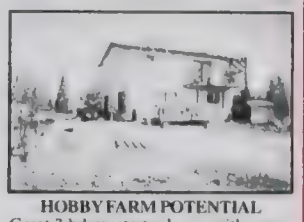

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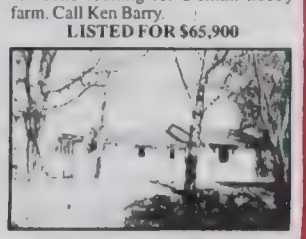

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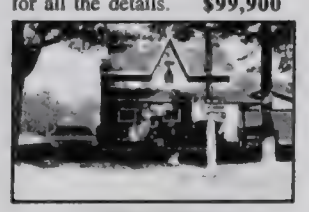

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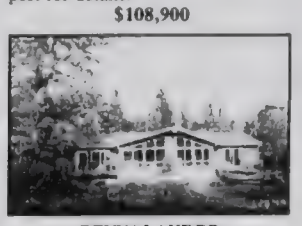

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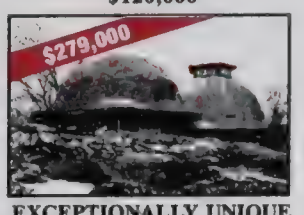

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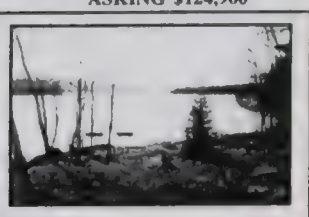

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Artist finds inspiration by the sea

by Matthew Sitler

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Take a walk along an ocean's shoreline. Gaze into the yester-years of Celtic design. Discover a depth in painting that is seldom reached. Visitors to the Agnes Jamieson Gallery will be able to do all of the above as they peruse Artist Stephanie Ford Forrester's solo exhibition entitled 'Celtic Images, Coastlines and Characters.'

The show is a combination of fascinating portraits, seascapes and gorgeous wall hangings. Forrester has had several solo shows in the Ottawa area and been involved in many group exhibitions. She spent 14 years as a Museum Curator in Westport and Peterborough and recently returned full-time to the visual-arts.

The wall hangings are beautiful and vibrant, incorporating strong colour and intricate design. "These are all constructed in Thai silk, which is a raw silk," says Forrester. "It has a texture and an intensity of colour that you cannot get in cotton."

Forrester says she always hasdone a lot of drawing and painting, but as her talent grew, it took shape incorporating another main discipline."It branched out into fabric fairly early," she adds. "This show is about 50/50. It's half textile work and half painting."

After her initial shows in Ottawa some 25 years ago, Forrester became side-tracked with family, tearing down log houses in remote areas, moving and rebuilding them, then eventually finding a niche in museum work. "I wound up in a small village, where my husband's family has roots. I was managing a museum," says Forrester. "This whole part of my life (the arts) went on hold." Forrester started quilt making during this time, finding she could do this activity without a lot of privacy, something she feels is essential to her art.

Almost a year and a half ago, after 14 years in the museum business, including seven years as curator of Hutchinson House Museum in Peterborough, she felt the time was right to quit her day job, resuming involvement in the visual arts full-time.

The majority of the work at the show was done during this last year and a half. The show in Minden comes on the heels of a solo show Forrester held a few months ago, in Peterborough, which she describes as "quite successful." Discovering an interest in Celtic visual imagery, and the fact many of these ancient images were initially executed in stone, Forrester enjoys the contrast her work provides, using those same designs in soft fabrics.

"Now, using those same designs in something as ephemeral or ethereal as silk, makes for an interesting contrast," she said. "Partly, they are just incredibly beautiful designs that resonate with ideas of the past, with artists of the past, who were working with the visual ideas of their cultures, and executing them in a very permanent manner."

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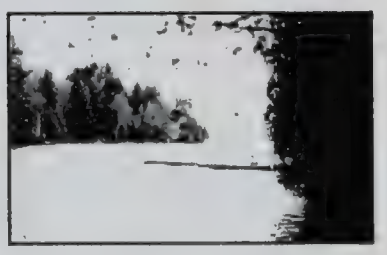

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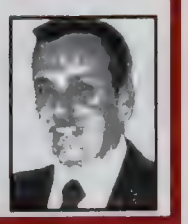

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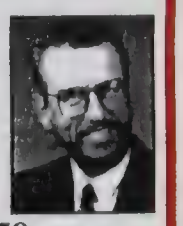

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Rates set for new northern councillors

(from page one)

ning, this would be ideal," said Stanhope Councillor Tom Gardiner. At the moment, there are two different pay scales for elected representatives in Sherborne and Stanhope Townships. In Stanhope, according to Councillor Ann Barker, the members of the council get paid annually. In Sherborne, the Council is paid annually and receives an additional stipend for extra meetings.

"I suggest that people who are running in the election aren't doing it for the money," said Stanhope Township Reeve Eleanor Harrison. Sherborne Reeve Don Shortreed said he was concerned that volunteers might lose interest if they are attending the same meetings for which politicians are being paid. He noted there will certainly be an increase in the workload and that volunteers are an integral part of the overall effort. "We don't want to lose our volunteers, that's our lifeline in rural communities."

The transition Board agreed to set the reimbursement rates at: Reeve will receive $10,000 per year; Deputy Reeve $9000; and councillors $8000, plus applicable mileage.

Like other Amalgamation boards, the Sherborne, Stanhope et al Transition Board will require insurance coverage. "The Transition Board is not covered under any liability policy (now). Individually we are, but as a board we are not," said Stanhope Reeve Eleanor Harrison. Stanhope Clerk Gerald Bain noted, "The Transition Board is an entity of itself. It's the board itself that does not have the coverage."

The Stanhope, Sherborne et al Transition Board has retained an arbitrator to decide the location of the new municipal office. Helen Cooper (from Kingston) and Ian Wilson will work on the project. Helen Cooper is a past chair from the Ontario Municipal Board and has been involved with municipal governments for a number of years.

The Transition Board has also retained the services of a consulting firm, Hicks, Morley, Hamilton, Stewart and Storie, to make recommendations regarding human resources decisions.

All accounts payable will presented to the Board on a monthly basis. The board will approve the expenditures on a regular basis. Calling it, "a good business practice," Stanhope Reeve and Transition Board Chair Eleanor Harrison was in favour of maintaining the payables list. Stanhope Councillor Tom Gardiner agreed saying it would "come in handy down the road when all the bills start piling up."

Celtic imagery still alive in many forms

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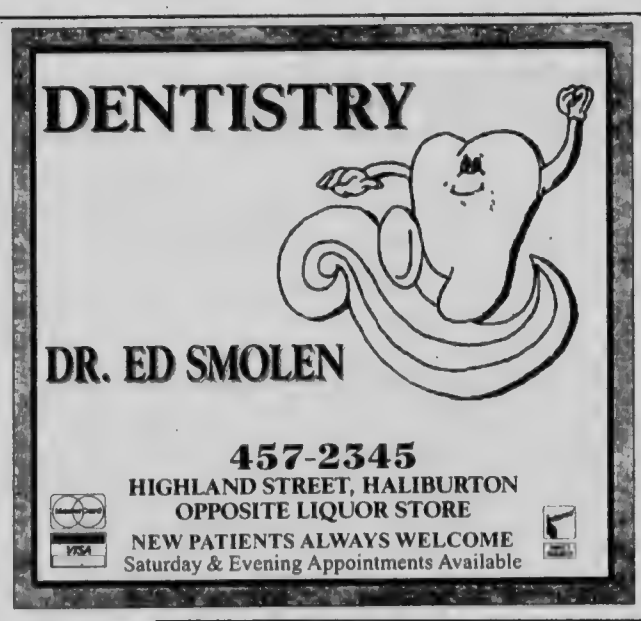
complex and simple. Some incorporating waterscapes and others that are quilt-like in their complexity. Much of this Celtic imagery can be found in illuminated gospel works and stone carvings of old Celtic literature and architecture. "It's so incredible that these shapes and designs have been maintained, taken so many forms, and have found themselves in this century still being very beautifull and very appealing to people," says Forrester. "People really seem to respond to them in a way that they don't necessarily respond to some other kinds of design. They have a past and this speaks to them."

Water and the closeness of family is something that is present in much of Forrester's painted work. This, she says, comes from elements of her childhood. "My father was an oceanographer, and a great sailor," she says. "I have always been fascinated by beaches and shorelines and the places where the water and the land meet. It's a contrast that is ever changing. There is a transience about it that provides a difference with the solidity of these ancient designs."

Forrester says that whenever she gets to the coast, she tries to spend most of her time on the shoreline. Not necessarily to paint, but to go there and think "Letting this meeting place do something to you," she says. It comes out in the work.

Viewers will be struck by the way the identity of the people in Forrester's portraits seem to jump out off the canvas. You almost feel that you know them, perhaps recognising their archetypal personality, or maybe they remind you of a long lost friend. Whatever it is, it is evident that Stephanie Ford Forrester has made the correct decision, returning full-time to the arts following her twenty-five year hiatus.

The show continues until June 3.



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HCSA elects new eecutive at annual meeting

(from page 4)

There are over 2000 land owners contributing trail space for the HCSA to use. According to the chairperson, ensuring continued access took, "...lots of visiting and diplomacy."

Membership Chair Marlene Foster presented last year's membership totals. 3082 permits were sold, which included 30 replacements, 17 voids. 117 of 500 day passes.

Signs Chairman Bob Bryant appealed for help saying, "There is a large number of signs that need to go up before the snow flies." Regarding advertising signs on the trails, Bryant said he would like to see them come down, adding "I have never touched advertising signs on the trails."

Trail Wardens were next on the agenda. Fourteen new Wardens participated in and passed a seminar on November 13. During the trail season, 17 warnings were handed out, with no charges being laid. "We are way down from last year, because of conditions," said Wayne. 350 sleds were checked, and excellent co-operation continued between the OPP and Trail STOP officers. "This relationship is a real success story in the province," said Association President Steve Berry. "Haliburton County has excellent co-operation with the OPP."

Looking for snow

The HCSA executive for 2000-01 inmcludes, from the left: Bob Johnson, Myrlene Foster, Steve Berry, Dave Freeman, Bob Picard, Peter Overington, Joe Gauntlett, Andy Chevedukas and Paul Daigle.

HCSA President Steve Berry, left, congratulates the Volunteers of the Year Peter and Eileen Overington. They were honoured at the snowmobile association's annual general meeting held May 13.

The Secretary's report noted 63 student passed the association's driver training course, one of the past season's proud moments. There was a 100% pass rate for the course which was provided on Saturdays. Attendance at the course was down a little from previous years.

Concluding that the "HCSA has completed it's shortest season on record," HCSA President Steve Berry said this "means we must plan for the future." The HCSA is the largest snowmobile club in the province. Berry said, "I am proud to be associated with the people of Haliburton. The people who made this happen."

Saying they are the, "Same people, wearing the same masks," Association President Steve Berry addressed ATV use of the trails. "This is an industry that will have either an negative or a positive impact," said Berry. The club hasn't made an official decision regarding the issue, although there is a 'no-wheels' policy still in effect. "We will have to renegotiate," said Berry.

Two awards were handed out at the meeting. Peter and Eileen Overington received the Life Membership Award, and Al Barren received the Volunteer of the Year Award. Both recipients received a watch and plaque for their achievements.

New executive

The following is the Haliburton County Snowmobile Association executive for the coming season: President, Steve Berry; First Vice-President, Gard Campbell; Second Vice-President, Bob Picard; Treasurer (no nominations, will be dealt with at the first meeting.); Secretary, Dave Freeman; Trails Chair, Bob Picard; Business Administration, Peter Overington; Ways and Means Chair, (remains open until first meeting); Membership, Marlene Foster; Building Chair, Paul Daigle; Chief Warden, Andy Chevedukas; Chair for Land Use Permits, (to be appointed at next meeting); Driver Training Chair, Dave Freeman; Trail-Signing Chair, Joe Gauntlett; Policy and Procedures Chair, Bob Johnson.

Next meeting of the association will be Thursday, June 8. 7:30 at the repair shop.

Eastern councillors getting down to business

Kicked into high gear!

The air was charged with change and decision at the Cardiff Fire Hall Monday, May 15. With 16 councillors out of 20 attending it's latest meeting, the Bicroft, Cardiff, Glamorgan and Monmouth Transition Board took it's first, tentative steps jumping quickly out of what has become the woodwork of amalgamation board processes. Finally naming an outside Chair, Carol Gillespie, and a Transition Board Secretary Sharon Zoran, the stage was set to resume the amalgamation process at full steam.

Stating that her position was one of "impartial, unbiased mediation," Gillespie spoke about how she would govern the meetings. "I follow Robert's Rules of Order. Not only are they legal, but they are fair and efficient."

This no-nonsense approach was badly needed in order to keep things running smoothly and to keep things at a civil, comfortable pace. Members of the five transition committees were named, highlighting the many duties and responsibilities of each.

For example, the choice of where the administrative centre will be located, become's a decision that the General Government Committee will have to decide. "This is the second most important decision we will have to make," said Gillespie. "We have to bite the bullet and bring this out of the starting blocks."

It was specified that at least one person from every township should be present at up coming meetings, with alternative voting members being allowed to appear in their place should a member be unable to attend. These meetings will occur the third Monday of every month.

Concerning the actual election, the board decided to use the vote-by-mail option. As well, a motion was carried suggested by Councillor Suzanne Partridge that all Transition Board dealings be included in a one-time mailing outlining Board decisions and news to help inform ratepayers of the different townships who are not always in the area and hence not informed.

The board will consider hiring human resource consultants to help with internal decisions relating to personnel. The Board may use the same team the SLAHM Transition Board has hired. "They come very highly recommended," said Gillespie.

While many of the decisions at this month's meeting can be described as preliminary by outside observers, they clear the way for a lot of the business that lies ahead.

The four Reeves will be responsible to ensure that the Transition Board is covered by liability insurance, something other amalgamation boards are considering as well.

Grant will fund new Wilberforce history

It's icing on the cake!

In light of the $4,675 being received in federal funding through the Canadian Millenium Partnership Program, Wilberforce Heritage Guild President Cathy Agnew expressed her appreciation for the much-needed funds. "We are thrilled to receive the money, It completes our fundraising."

The Guild has raised around $18,000 which will be used for the publication of "*Mustard Plasters and Hand Cars,*" a book written by Gertrude Leroy Miller, a former Red Cross Nurse in Wilberforce during the mid-1930's. The book, a memoir written in the early 80's, is "A good historical account of the area," says Agnew.

The Wilberforce Heritage Guild started in 1991. It's main purpose is to preserve the Red Cross Outpost Hospital which has become a museum.

The book's launch will take place June 24, between 1-4 p.m. at the Museum in Wilberforce. Some $3,000 was donated by the township of Monmouth, $2,500 was donated by the Haliburton Economic Development Corporation and the rest, excluding the federal funds, was raised through private donations and a public campaign including raffles, silents auctions, yard and book sales and dinners.

The book will be published by the Natural Heritage Publishing Company.

Army Cadet Corps visits Ottawa

Training session at Base Connaught a success despite weather

--submitted--

Foul weather did not prevent 24 cadets and staff of the Haliburton Army Cadet Corps from enjoying a training weekend near Ottawa recently. Members of the Haliburton 1129 Royal Canadian Army Cadet Corps attended training exercise "Personal Best" at Canadian Forces Base Connaught, near Ottawa May 12 to 14.

The cadets were scheduled to participate in a training weekend of activities which included rifle shooting, abseiling, navigation by map and compass, fieldcraft and sports. Saturday's heavy rains and strong winds forced the commanding officer to cancel training and the Cadet Corps had a cultural tour of Ottawa.

19 local youths and their 5 staff members visited the Canadian War Museum where they saw displays and artifacts representing Canada's military history from the 1800's to modern times and Canada's peacekeeping roles around the world. A brief walk to the Parliament Buildings and the cadets took in the sights and posed for a photo with a Royal Canadian Mounted Police officer in his red serge. After lunch, it was off to the National Aviation Museum to look at vintage aircraft and take part in the many interactive aviation displays.

Upon the cadets' return to C.F.B. Connaught, the weather cleared and training resumed at the obstacle course, abseiling tower and indoor air rifle shooting range. A tremendous amount of team effort from the cadets resulted in the whole group successfully completing training and having some fun in the process.

The training exercise was the last of this season and now cadets prepare for camp at Army Cadet Summer Training Centre Blackdown, located at C.F.B. Borden. Haliburton Army Cadet training will begin again in September 2000 when school commences. Regular training nights are every Tuesday from 6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Haliburton Legion banquet hall. It is free for all boys and girls aged 12-18 years.

Haliburton Cadets on the Hill

Haliburton Army Cadets pose in front of the Parliament buildings. Inclement weather provided an opportunity for the cadets to forego some of the training that was planned and allowed them to tour the sites in the nation's capital.

The long hard climb

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After successful music festivals

High school musicians ready to entertain this Wednesday evening

HHSS music students had nine entries in the local Haliburton Highlands Music Festival in March. Three of the groups were asked to play in the Highlights Concert and the music groups received a scholarship, thanks to the generosity of donors to the scholarship fund.

The Swing Band went to Bancroft to participate in the North Hastings Music Festival and received the highest standing in their class with a mark of 84.

The Flute Choir travelled to Peterborough and took first place in all three classes that they entered in the Kiwanis Festival there. In one class, the group was awarded a 90, their highest mark ever in Peterborough.

The Concert Band and Swing Band were the hosts this year to the first Trillium Lakelands District School Board Music Festival. This event brought high school musicians to Haliburton from all across the district.

At the Orillia Kiwanis Music Festival, the Flute Choir was awarded a Gold standard of performance and another mark of 90. The group was awarded a trophy for "Best Woodwind Ensemble" at the festival and an offer to perform at the "Stars of the Festival" concert at the Orillia opera house on Monday, May 29.

All of these groups can be seen and heard at the HHSS Students' annual Spring Concert at the Northern Lights Pavilion at the high school on Wednesday, May 24 at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend. Admission is by voluntary donation at the door.

ASES hosts open house

by Julie Snell ASES Press CLub Member

On April 27th, ASES held an Open House for the parents and friends of the students.

Not only did the parents get to see what the students have done so far this year, but they also had a chance to buy books at the book fair which was held in the library.

Around the school, artwork hung from the walls. Almost all the walls of the school, were covered with quality artwork that the students have done this year.

The Open House was a success for the library, students, staff and parents.

School CD will be released May 31

A unique project in which all 52 schools in the Trillium Lakelands District School Board recorded their school song, chant or cheer has recieved $14,165 from the federal government's millenium fund. The money will help defray the expenses involved in making the recording.

The idea for the compact disc/CD-ROM originated with trustee Rick Johnson. He and his wife, Terri Crawford, travelled the length and breadth of the district to capture the voices of students at every single school. "This money not only allows us to cover some of the expenses we incurred, but it also validates the efforts of hundreds of people all over the board," says Johnson.

"The kids were just terrific," he adds. "and the principals, teachers and parents worked really hard to help them shine. We just recorded the talent that was already there."

The disc, called "We are the Twenty-first Century," features a CD-ROM portion which includes an overview of the entire board as well as lyrics to the songs. Johnson also wrote the catchy title track, sung by a choir made up of students from all over the board with soloists from each of the seven high schools.

"We Are the Twenty First Century" will be launched on May 31. All proceeds from sales of the CD will be used to establish a fund to support arts education throughout the district.

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HHSS Parents' Council seeking input

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Whoops! Contrary to the last report, there still are two meetings of the HHSS School Council remaining for the school year 1999/2000!

Highlights of the May 2 meeting:

• A parent visited the meeting ... congratulations to this interested lady! All are welcome and encouraged to attend. Excellent refreshments are served!

• Amy Brandon gave the Student Council report. Amy was congratulated for receiving the Ontario Junior Volunteer award.

• Gary Brohman's Principal's report noted that Grade 9 mark distribution is in, and soon the charting of final median marks will be done to see how the school is doing scholastically in this area. One of two exciting developments is the publishing of a new school song "Red Hawks Forever" in the fall students' handbook. This song, along with 56 songs from other schools, and "We are the 21st Century" sung by two students from every school in the Trilliium Lakelands School District, will be included on a Millennium Project CD. The second development is the year 2001 hookup of Haliburton on an Ontario-wide WAN [wide area network], connecting school boards, libraries, hospitals, and other public services.

• Of special note from the "Creating Effective School Councils" workshop was the report of a possible shortage of school principals in the next three years. The Parents' Council is in an advisory position with regard to the hiring of a new school principal as the need arises.

• A concern was raised regarding students being picked on at school. The high school has a policy of zero tolerance for aggression and violence. A discussion was held on methods to make our school environment one that promotes safety and wellness.

• Future Events to watch for: the "Haliburton Highlands Secondary School Parent Feedback Survey". The completed forms will be used to evaluate how the school is doing and to improve the school for both students and parents. This survey is your opportunity to have input into your children's school life.

• At our next school council meeting on May 30, we will be examining the present HHSS Parents' Council's constitution, with a view to bringing it up-to-date.

As you can see, the Parents' Council grapples with issues which have far-reaching and timely relevance for your children. You, as their parents, need to become involved. An open invitation exists to any and all who want to keep informed regarding the "goings on" at HHSS.

See you on May 30 from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. in the classroom next to the library. Don't miss the refreshments!

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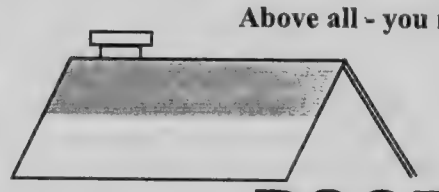
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Tests will tell if it's moving north

Chickens will be used as sentinels to warn of West Nile virus invasion

The Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit has been selected by the province to participate in a surveillance program to help gauge any introduction of the West Nile virus into Ontario.

At a meeting last week, Medical Officer of Health, Dr. Alex Hukowich told members of the Board of Health that 18 coops of sentinel chickens have been set up across the province to monitor any indication that the virus is spreading into the province. These chickens will be kept outside and samples of their blood taken every week to determine if they become infected with the virus. At the same time, mosquitos from the area will be kept, counted and their species noted. If any blood sample from the chickens tests positive for the virus, the mosquitos will be tested. Two of these open air coops are located within the Health Unit's boundaries, one in the Brighton area and the other in the Roseneath area.

"This is part of an early warning deduction system set up to track only the possible introduction of the virus," says Dr. Hukowich. "There is no need for people to be worried about the testing as we do not even know if the virus will make its way north. This is just a precautionary measure."

Several thousand people were likely infected in an outbreak of the West Nile virus last fall in New York State, with only 60 people becoming ill. Of those infected, seven people later died, including one man from Ontario who had visited New York State. The virus is spread by mosquitos, which become infected after feeding on infected birds.

Not everyone infected with the West Nile virus becomes severely ill. Symptoms usually occur three to 12 days after being bitten by an infected mosquito and can include fever, headache, body aches, mild rash or swollen lymph glands. In serious cases, it can affect brain tissue and cause encephalitis symptoms which include rapid onset of headache, stiff neck, confusion, loss of consciousness, muscle weakness or possibly death.

Details are still being finalized on the province's surveillance of dead birds. At this time though, the public is being asked to report large clusters of dead crows, robins or jays to the Health Unit. Single birds that have been killed by another animal or have been dead for some time cannot be tested for the virus.

Women's Institute May meeting

The members of Minden Women's Institute were welcomed by Bea Berry to her home and by the President, Jean Cox. After the usual opening ceremonies, the roll call was answered by 14 members each reciting a verse that they had learned in school. This was lots of fun. If we forgot a line, another member filled in.

Thank you cards were read. Pennies for friendship were taken. Arrangements were made for lunch and silent auction for the district annual at Burnt River on May 31. There will be a meeting at Jean Cox's on June 6 at 9:30 a.m. to plan the programs.

Bea Berry, convenor of Education and Cultural Affairs, gave a paper on one of Nature's Navigators, the Monarch Butterfly. It seems a lot of vegetation and trees are being destroyed in their winter habitat in Mexico, thus making it more difficult for propogation. In Canada, we have the milkweed that they like. Bea was given the usual applause for an interesting paper.

The next meeting will be pot luck on June 21 at noon at the Library Culture Centre, Common Room.

Rita Baird and Shirley Cox were auctioneers for the plant sale. Bea and her helpers served a delicious lunch.

Mary Cox, Secretary

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Victoria County receives $440,000 in CRF funds

The following summary of the May 18 meeting of Victoria County Council was prepared by Warden John Macklem.

Administrative and financial highlights

The County of Victoria has been advised that it will receive $440,000 this year under a new component of the Community Re-Investment Fund (CRF) program, called the Supplementary Assistance component. Since this is a new component of CRF, it was not included in the County's 2000 budget.

County Council has approved a budget amendment for 2000, to add this new subsidy revenue to its budget, and to spend it on a 10.7 km extension of the road work planned in 2000 on County Road 46 north of Woodville.

This is subject to the approval of the Transition Board, (since the expenditure does not form part of the approved County Budget), the funds would be used to expand the County's 2000 road resurfacing program. The total work covered by this contract is now some 57 kilometres of freshly resurfaced road including pavement widening where warranted, along with certain drainage and base repairs.

The Province has released its official year 2000 estimates of ambulance, social housing and social assistance costs for downloaded services, to be raised by the County of Victoria through its year 2000 budget. The budget was passed using "best guesses" of what these estimates would be, and the amounts used were $192,300 higher than needed.

Now the budget figures for the downloaded services are being amended to become the official estimate amounts, which frees-up $192,300 of spending room for other purposes.

County Council has approved a list of items where these funds will be spent. The items include upgrades of seasonal sites to regular sites at the County Park, provision for the ambulance consultant, a re-printing of the County Centennial History Book, money for computers and website work, and some other smaller items.

The Province has released the final actual costs for its downloaded programs for the year 1999. The County of Victoria pays the Province for these programs throughout each year, based on annual estimates of their costs. It turned out that actual costs in 1999 were below the estimates, meaning that the County has been over-charged and has a credit coming back from the Province. This was also the case one year ago, in relation to 1998 actual cost results. One year ago, the County created new reserves for the downloaded services, and put its 1998 credits into those reserves. County Council has approved the same action to be taken with the 1999 credits it has coming from the Province.

These reserves represent prudent financial planning by County Council. These reserves will be available for Council's use if unexpected costs are incurred during the time of transition of responsibility, when each downloaded service is officially taken over by the municipality. For example, the ambulance services are to be taken over in January 2001.

All three of these matters involve decisions on municipal spending that exceed $10,000 and therefore must be brought before the Transition Board for the City of Kawartha Lakes for approval, before they can be acted upon by the municipality.

Finally, following Transition Board approval, the County of Victoria must pass a resolution and send it to the Province, along with a report, explaining how it will be using its $440,000 CRF subsidy. The resolution and report must be received by June 30. This reporting requirement from the Province also applies to all local municipalities receiving any CRF subsidy in 2000.

To enforce this reporting requirement, the CRF subsidy will be paid in quarterly instalments, and the final two instalments may be reduced or withheld by the Province if the municipality does not forward the required report.

Support for Heritage/Cultural Centre

County Council adopted a resolution to support, in principle, the establishment of a heritage/cultural centre utilizing the jail building on Victoria Avenue in Lindsay. Staff have been authorized to apply to LACAC for an Ontario Heritage designation on the jail building's front façade, on behalf of the Historical Society.

Retirement planning seminar for employees

County Council passed a resolution to work in conjunction with the City of Kawartha Lakes Transition Board, to assist all county employees and employees of the local municipalities, by offering a full day retirement planning seminar to those who will be eligible to retire under the current OMERS window.

Police Records Check

As a precautionary/safety measure, the Corporation is requiring that Police Record Checks be conducted on all full time and part time prospective employees, volunteers, contractors and students who will be providing services to vulnerable adults and/or children and those positions responsible for handling of money.

City of Kawartha Lakes Transition Board

NOTICE

Invitation to Serve on City of Kawartha Lakes Transition Board Task Forces.

The City of Kawartha Lakes Transition Board invites members of the public to serve, as volunteers, on one or more of the Task Forces listed below. Each Task Force will play a vital role in gathering information, studying and providing recommendations to the Board concerning respective areas of operation and delivery of service by the new City of Kawartha Lakes. The Task Forces to be created are as follows:

01. Personnel
02. Finance
03. Assets and Liabilities
04. Information and Technology Systems
05. Solicitor/Clerk
06. Building and Grounds Maintenance
07. Communications
08. Social Services
09. Housing
10. Parks
11. Recreation
12. Libraries/Culture
13. Roads and Transportation
14. Planning and Building
15. Waste Management
16. Public Utilities
17. Economic Development
18. Muncipal Service Centres
19. Police
20. Fire
21. Ambulance
22. By-law Enforcement
23. Health
24. Homes for the Aged

Persons interested in applying for task force positions should submit a letter indicating the Task Force(s) they wish to be considered for and a detailed resume. Submissions must be clearly marked **"Task Force Submission".** All submissions must be received by the Secretary of the Board, at the address noted below, by **2:00 p.m. on May 31, 2000.** Questions may be directed to the Interim Secretary, Percy Luther, at 324-6171, Extension 211.

Secretary , City of Kawartha Lakes Transition Board
C/O County of Victoria
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Lindsay, Ontario
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Township of Galway-Cavendish and Harvey

MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2000

NOTICE OF NOMINATION FOR OFFICE

Notice is hereby given to the Municipal Electors of the Township of Galway-Cavendish and Harvey that nomination papers are available in the Clerk's Office, Buckhorn for the office of:

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SCHOOL TRUSTEE(S) - determination not yet available

A person's election campaign period begins on the day he or she files a **nomination** for office. A contribution shall not be accepted or an expense incurred by or on behalf of a person unless he or she is a **CERTIFIED CANDIDATE.**

A **nomination** paper must be signed by the candidate and may be filed in the Clerk's Office during office hours in person or by an agent on any day before October 13, 2000, between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Tuesday to Friday or on **October 13, 2000** (Nomination Day) between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. *(Faxes not accepted).* A prescribed nomination fee of $100.00 cash, certified cheque or money order, must accompany the nomination paper. A nomination paper must be certified by the Clerk before such person becomes a Certified Candidate. A candidate is entitled to a refund of the filing fee if he or she is elected, or receives two per cent of the votes cast for the office or withdraws the nomination under Section 36.

In the event there are insufficient number of certified candidates to fill all positions available, nominations will be reopened for the vacant positions only on Wednesday, October 18, 2000, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. and such nominations may be filled in the Office of the Clerk.

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New exec. at Branch 636

Service Clubs
by Alan (Cub) Coneybeare

Bonjour!

The lovely month of May is upon us. However, May has not been lovely so far. The blackflies are enjoying themselves these days!

I will be writing this column for another year as I have been re-hired, effective June 1, 2000.

The new Executive has been elected as follows: President - Gord Martin; Past President - Maurice Winterflood; First Vice President - Maxine Cross; Second Vice President - Peter Overington; Secretary - Shirley Kirk; Treasurer - Cliff Green; Sergeant at Arms - Dave McAdam; Auditor - Robert Hope. The Executive Directors are: Lois Adamson; Syd Adamson; Cheryl Murdoch; Francine Newton; Georgina Parkes; and Bill Stewart.

Upcoming events

- On Sunday, May 28 the Ladies' Auxiliary convention is being held in Cannington.
- Our national convention is coming up from June 11 to 14 in Halifax.
- Bev Johnson's Big Buck Euchre is on June 4 at 12 noon.
- The next Branch general meeting is on June 7.
- The next Trunk Sale in the Legion parking lot is scheduled for June 17.
- Trivia Night is Wednesday, June 21 at 7:30 p.m. Come out and have a good time.
- Meat draws are ongoing every Wednesday at 12 noon.

Pat on the back

Every once in a while we pat ourselves on the back. This time accolades go out to Dave Skinner and his motley crew for handling the weekly meat draws. At the Easter draw for hams and turkeys a lot of money was raised for the Branch. This money goes to the community and we thank everyone for participating and making this a huge success.

Well the word is out about the industrial park. I for one, and a lot of people like me, sure miss the old "Gartshore" barn (my grandparents'). It was possibly the most painted barn in the world. It is too bad we didn't strive to keep it intact as one of the best landmarks in Ontario.

Thanks! Until next time,
Cub

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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE

(File No. SRA-98-15)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and

IN THE MATTER OF a proposed by-law of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowner, a portion of the original allowance for road, in front of Part of Lot 25, Concession 5, Township of Minden, County of Haliburton.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 300(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden proposes to consider, and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on June 22nd, 2000 at the hour of 7:30 p.m., a by-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

A portion of the original allowance for road, along the shore of Kashagawigamog Lake, being Part of Lot 25, Concession 5, designated as Parts 1, 2 and 3 on Reference Plan No. 19R-6656.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there, hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED AT THE Township of Minden, this 11th day of May, 2000.

Tammy McKelvey, A.M.C.T.,
Clerk-Treasurer,
P.O. Box 359, 7 Milne Street,
Minden, Ontario. K0M 2K0

New residents sing for their supper

Senior League
by the Roving Reporters

Another week gone! Just like that!

Guess we need to tell you about the happenings of the last few days. Although we did not have a tea party last Thursday, we did enjoy a lovely afternoon. Ruth and Jack Worthington were here and kept us going with a great sing-song. There were coffee and doughnuts being served in the lower floor dining room and quite a few attended. However some of us on the second floor didn't quite make it down there, so Kelly managed to snaffle doughnuts for us. You could say we're getting pampered, and we don't mind one bit. The following afternoon we were wonderfully entertained with Cooper, Owens and Schell providing the music for our Happy Hour. Another great afternoon.

Over the weekend Gord Kennedy was in to play for us. Our treat wagon made its rounds and a few special visitors were here for Mother's Day. Janet led an interesting discussion on "Things Mothers Do".

Our weekend began with a visit from the Salvation Army. We look forward to this monthly visit and appreciate the time they spend with us. Afterward the Haliburton Legion was here to make a presentation to Hazel Whittaker. Hazel reached her 80th birthday last December and therefore is eligible for the "80 and Older Club" for Legion members. Hazel was unable to attend the ceremony at the Legion, so the Legion came to her. Special congratulatory certificates were presented and a lovely cake was served with tea/coffee. We were pleased to join in this special celebration with Hazel. We know she would want us to thank the Legion for their kindness and consideration shown her.

A memorial service was held for Muriel Harrison Tuesday morning with Rev. Walford Davis joining us. Quite a few attended to pay their respects to Muriel. We, the Roving Reporters, are certainly missing Walter and Muriel.

We had a good turnout for Pub Night with Gord Kidd and Lloyd Madill providing us with some great music. A lot of fun was had and we thank them for coming.

Our Tea Party today is scheduled to be hosted by the Haliburton Golfers. As we write, the rain is still coming down so it seems a good day for the group to host our Tea Party. Not quite the weather we think for playing golf. Tomorrow quite a few of the residents have signed up for a luncheon at the Minden Legion. We are looking forward to this and we will have to tell you about it next week.

Before we go we have a couple of announcements to make.

We have two new residents on the lower floor named Samson and Delilah. They are settling in nicely and we have Harold to thank for them coming. Guess we better tell you that they are two budgies. Did we have you wondering there for a moment? Got to have a bit of fun!

There are quite a few birthdays coming up in early June. We thought we better mention them now, so we don't forget.

Dorothea Lynch – June 1
Peggy Packer – June 2
Sidney Roberts – June 4
Edna McElwain – June 5
Winnifred Barnum – June 6
Lola Prentice – June 11

We wish them all a very Happy Birthday and hope they each enjoy their special day.

Guess that's it for now. Hope you enjoyed our chat, we know we did. See you next week. In the meantime enjoy, and hope everyone has a safe and happy Victoria Day weekend. Of course by the time you read this it will be over but the thought is the same. Bye now.

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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH

PUBLIC NOTICE

File # SR-8/99

Take Notice that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth, proposes to enact a by-law to stop up, close and convey to the abutting property owner a portion of the original allowance for set out and described as follows:

Firstly: ALL and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Lutterworth, in the County of Haliburton and being com posed of part of the original sixty-six foot shore road allowance along the shore of South Beaver Lake, lying in front of Part of Lot 21, Concession 3, and being more particularly described as Part 1 on Plan in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of the County of Haliburton as Plan 19R-6788.

The Proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its Regular Meeting at the Municipal Office, located three miles south of Minden on Highway #35, on the 8th day of June, 2000, at the hour of 4:00 p.m. and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

Dated at the Township of Lutterworth this 8th day of May, 2000.

(Ms.) Mary Jane Irwin, A.M.C.T.,
Clerk-Treasurer,
Township of Lutterworth,
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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH

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File # SR-12/99

Take Notice that the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Lutterworth, proposes to enact a by-law to stop up, close and convey to the abutting property owner a portion of the original allowance for road set out and described as follows:

Firstly: ALL and singular those certain parcels or tracts of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Lutterworth, in the County of Haliburton and being composed of part of the original sixty-six foot shore road allowance along the shore of East Moore Lake, lying in front of Part of Lot 22, Concession 5, and being more particularly described as Part 2 on a Plan deposited in the Registry Office for the Registry Division of the County of Haliburton as Plan 19R-6830.

The Proposed By-Law will come before the said Council for consideration at its Regular Meeting at the Municipal Office, located three miles south of Minden on Highway #35, on the 2nd day of June, 2000, at the hour of 7:00 p.m. and at that time, the Council will hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected and who applies to be heard.

Dated at the Township of Lutterworth this 23rd day of May, 2000.

(Ms.) Mary Jane Irwin, A.M.C.T.,
Clerk-Treasurer,
Township of Lutterworth,
P.O. Box 850,
Minden, Ontario
K0M 2K0

THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE

(File No. SRA-99-03)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and

IN THE MATTER OF a proposed by-law of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowner, a portion of the original allowance for road, in front of Part of Lot 7, Concession 8, Township of Minden, County of Haliburton.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 300(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden proposes to consider, and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on June 8th, 2000 at the hour of 10:00 a.m., a by-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

A portion of the original allowance for road, along the shore of Mountain Lake, being Part of Lot 7, Concession 8, designated as Part 1 and 2 on Reference Plan No. 19R-6823.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there, hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED AT THE Township of Minden, this 1st day of May, 2000.

Tammy McKelvey, A.M.C.T.,
Clerk-Treasurer,
P.O. Box 359, 7 Milne Street,
Minden, Ontario. K0M 2K0

Around the County Town

by Nora Snyder (call 286-4450; email <mindenhouse@on.aibn.com>)

The rain we looked for last year has finally arrived!! The Gull River looks as high as it sometimes does in the spring run off, and then some. Apparently the Trent system was closed on the long weekend because of the danger of the high waters. I wonder if that has ever happened before? The weather (if this rain continues), must have changed the character of cottage opening time for those of you who do that. Lots of indoor work must have got done!! At least the drought of last year shouldn't threaten this year!

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I had another sneak preview of the new show at the Agnes Jamieson Gallery which opened on Saturday, May 18 and runs to June 3. The wall-hangings, and paintings of Stephanie Ford Forrester, under the title 'Celtic Images', are all beautiful to behold. All things mysterious, all things bordering the ocean, and the people living in these landscapes depicted by the artist. Well worth the visit.

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The big news!! Canadian Tire coming to Minden!! The idea of it changes the character of our County Town!! Jobs. Business coming from far and wide!! Drawing more business. Growing. It feels like it opens up so many opportunities!! Change is coming!! I can feel it!!

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Also, remembering our past:

First notice of the Haliburton Highlands Genealogy Group holding its next meeting on Wednesday, June 14 in the Minden Public Library at 7 p.m. What is going to happen to your family tree records? More details late.

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Shirley Warder has joined the Genealogy group which is great for her and for them!! Shirley has so much knowledge and interest in our history.

When I was writing of the big table, built by A.J. Hewitt, Shirley Warder arrived at my door, saying her great-grandfather, William Stevens was the caretaker for the Woodruffs/Bands who owned St. Margaret's Island, which later was named Comak when my father bought it and ran his boy's camp. Shirley brought with her, a copy of the local Minden/Haliburton paper from the early 1900s with Mr. Band's name on it. She then brought me an album filled with pictures of those days on the island: building the main cottage; the gardens; raising the pigs; making maple syrup; the log cabins for the 'help'; pictures of all the stories I have heard about the past and read about in my father's, Ed Devitt's, book, "Echoes of the Past"; resounding in the present.

William Stevens figures prominently in the pictures as he and his wife Phebe worked there in so many capacities. They lived at the south end of Kushog and took the Woodruffs up to St. Nora by boat when they arrived for the season. Bert Harrison, Shirley's grandfather and husband to Eldiness, the daughter of William and Phebe, called this final leg of the trip " cadging".

William Stevens was the backbone of the Woodruff's life on St. Nora. His knowledge and experience of the north was a necessity for the maintenance of their northern summer home. There was and is a close relationship between the cottager and the 'local'.

Phyllis Ackerblade, Shirley's Mom, has kept many pictures taken by her Mother Eldiness and has many stories from the past which luckily Shirley has always been interested in. Shirley is now the one in her family who carries them on for the future generations.

Another piece of the past which has shaped our County Town of today. Now onto more new things!!

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Hope you had a good long week-end in cottage country!!

SCORING NEWS

Friday, May 12: Echo Hills Duplicate Bridge: Mayme Douglas and Vera Carnochan were first with 62%; Jacqui Metcalf and Nick Lehoczky second with 58%; and in third Pat Hannah and Kelly Metcalf with 55%.

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The Annual Senior's Games at West Guilford: The scores for both the Duplicate and Contract Bridge. Betty Dicker and Harold Cox won them both!! Muriel McIntosh and Ross Fletcher were second in contract and third in duplicate. Vange Croucher and Stella McMillan did the opposite, coming second in duplicate and third in contract. Fun was had by all!!

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Monday, May 15: Kinmount Bid Euchre. Dorothy McElwain was high and Ruth Kellett was second high. Joan Taylor won the one moonshot and Gladie Bowman won the 50/50 draw.

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The Friendship Club at St. Paul's: Jack Chilton won lone hands. Lorna Hicks and Jesse Barlow were the high scorers and Pearl Cowen and Fern Donnelly were the lows. Iris Taylor found the hidden score and Verna McDonald won the 50/50 draw. It was the Birthday Monday for May and the birthdays of Lorna Hicks, Isabel Cherwenka (who made the cake!) and Ellen Holden were celebrated.

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Club 35 in the evening: Jean Randell won the 50/50 draw and Verna Sawyer took lone hands. High scores went to Marilyn Teljeur and Fred Gregory. Lows went to Hilda Murrell and Jean Randell. Verna Sawyer was the winner of the baloney.

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Tuesday, May 16: Senior Bid Euchre at the Minden Legion: Pat Roussel, Ruth Kellett and Ann Baker took the high scores. Kevin Maloney found the hidden score and Pat Roussel scored the only moonshot.

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Contract Bridge at Stanhope: Busy day there!! Four slams were bid and made. Two of them involved Vange Croucher; one with Jack Croucher and the other with Leta Peirol. Ray Moore with Betty Culley took the third and Len McNeice with Harold Cox the fourth. Two special awards were presented. First, the W.B.E.A. (the Welcome Back Elsie Award) going to Elsie Fleming, as everyone was glad to see her back; and the second, the T.U.I.K.A. (the Tied Up In Knots Award) went to Wynne and Morris Hansen, as they both ended the day with the identical score of 3290!! The high scores went to: fourth, Len McNiece, 5640; third, Jack Croucher, 5720; second, Betty Culley, 5890; and in first, Harold Cox with 5900.

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Lochlin in the evening: Don Currie won lone hands. Don Hicks and Reta Crofts took the highs . Lorna Hicks and Ted Wilkins took the lows. Ted also won the 50/50 draw.

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Wednesday, May 17: Kinmount Seniors at the Kinmount Legion: Ladies high and low went to Ruth Kellett and Joan Taylor. For the men, Jerry Silver and Roger Foronien(?) did the same. Bob Vick won the 50/50 draw and Bill St.Thomas and Mary Wilkins tied for lone hands.

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Parklane, Eight tables playing 'Mitchell': North/South a tie for first. Both Nick Lehoczky with Mike Collins and Ross Fletcher with Muriel McIntosh had 60%. In second were Alex McLeod with Carol McCord with 57%. In East/West Kelly Metcalf with Jean Wittman were first with 62% and in second,Vera Carnochan with Mayme Douglas with 57%.

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Stanhope Bid Euchre: Four moonshots taken by Alvin Cowen, Frank Campagnolo, Ida Young and Rob Evans. The high scores went to: Marion Farr, 266; Rob Evans, 290; Alvin Cowen, 292; Sharon Evans, 304; and top score to Ida Young with 310!!

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Fifth Annual Tim Heming Golf Tournament and BBQ. Thursday, May 25th. 1 p.m. starting time at the Blairhampton Golf Course. 4 p.m. BBQ at the Sunny Rock Lodge B&B. $50 Individual, $220 Foursome BBQ included, $25 BBQ only. Prizes and donations to Tim Heming Bursary Fund requested. Call Sally Moore for details and to register. **705-286-4922**. 5CD

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Tupperware
Mystery Nightie Party
Wednesday, May 24
at 7 p.m.
and
Tupperware
Bingo Party
Thursday May 25
10 a.m.
Hostess: Bev Johnson
Phone 286-3085.
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

RETIRED TEACHERS OF ONTARIO
Haliburton Unit
are holding their
UNIT ANNUAL MEETING
at
BIRCH POINT LODGE
Thursday, June 8th
at 10 a.m.
Lunch to follow at 12 p.m.
Total cost: $20.00.
All Retired Teachers, R.T.O. Members and Guests Welcome. 5DE

BIRTHS

SHE'S HERE!!
Lisa and Chris Parish
are happy to announce
the safe arrival of
EMILY ANNE PARISH
weighing 6lbs 7oz on
Tuesday, May 9th, 2000
at 5:37 p.m.
Proud first-time grandparents are Mary and Reg Raby of Minden and third granddaughter for Barb and Tom Parish of North York/Kashagawigamog Lake. Also welcomed by Uncle Rob and Aunt Donna and cousins Claire & Lauren.

It's A Boy!!
Clinton and Roxann Trumbull
are proud to announce
the safe arrival of their son
JOSHUA CLINTON TRUMBULL
born Tuesday, May 9, 2000
at 3:47 a.m. weighing 8lbs 3oz at Peel Memorial Hospital in Brampton. A new little brother for Shawnee and Jarrett and nephew of Bradley Trumbull. Proud grandparents are Bill and Nancy Sanderson and Ray and Sylvia Trumbull. Special great-grandson to Audrey Trumbull and Lloyd and Grace Sanderson.

PERSONALS

To All my Mommy's Friends: Marilyn, Ruby, Gail G, Gail F, Winn, Laralyn and Aunti Marg, my many thanks for all the play toys, the exotic treats, the hygiene products and my three-day stay at The Canine Castle at my shower. I am a lucky puppy! Woof!!
Murphy.

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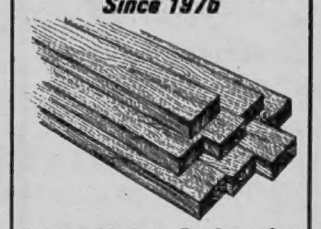
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Saturday May 27, 10 a.m. Estate Auction for Sylvia Dummet and others at Norm Mills Auction Centre, Minden. Partial listing of a good offering: 9.6 h.p. outboard motor, 5 h.p. outboard motor, gas lawn mower, electric lawn mower, almond refrigerator, apartment size chest freezer, microwave, new colour TV, Kirby vacuum, like new Moffat clothes dryer, like new Kenmore clothes washer, ceiling fan, assorted rock maple kitchen chairs, rock maple kitchen table, 6'x6' entertainment centre, armchairs, chesterfields, 6' pine kitchen table, fibreglass shower stall, White sewing machine, lady's and gent's cherry dressers, wood plant stand, outside porch lounge, end and coffee tables, assorted table and swag lamps, brass fireplace tools, fans, golf cart, carpets, 2x4 ceiling tile, vanity table, 5' office desk, wheelchair, assorted beds, frames and mattresses, kitchen equipment and much more. To list your estate call early **Norm Mills, Auction, Appraiser, 705-286-3535. 5D**

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Sunday May 28th
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CARDS OF THANKS

A Very Special Thank You to our children and their partners for organizing a terrific drop-in celebration on the occasion of our 50th Wedding Anniversary, Saturday, May 6th.
- To Keith and Stan who provided the music, thank you.
- To Rawn and Raylene and Colleen who worked so hard and secretively to make up the beautiful picture collages - what a fantastic job!
- To Brian and Scott for arranging the hall and the messages from dignitaries - thank you.

To Daryl and Kelly, Blake and Brian's Colleen for taking care of the food and beverages - thank you.
- To Terry, Raylene and Michelle for decorating and the fabulous balloon art.
- To Lawrence and Taylor who kept the BBQ going - thanks.
- To Mal and Nadene from Westside's Bake Shop for the cake. It was delicious (good for the complexion too).
- To Janet Readman who, on short notice, was able to be there and take photos of this large family, thank you.
- To those who sent cards and flowers, thank you.
- To all those who took the time out of their busy schedules to drop in, to friends and relatives from far and near, it wouldn't have been the same without you. You were the "icing" on the cake.
- And lastly, thanks for the Limo ride to Rama (at least one person in the limo got lucky).

To our wonderful family - *"Thanks so much for being you!"*
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The tenders will then be opened in public on the same day at 3:15 p.m. at Lutterworth Municipal Office.

Description of Lands	Minimum Tender Amount
Part of Lot 21, Concession 8, in the Township of Lutterworth, in the County of Haliburton, to-gether with a right-of-way over Part Lot 21, Concession 8, in the said Township.	**$2599,75**
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(Ms.) Mary Jane Irwin, A.M.C.T.
Clerk-Treasurer
Township of Lutterworth
PO Box 850
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THE CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIPS OF ANSON, HINDON AND MINDEN

NOTICE
(File No. SRA-99-07)

IN THE MATTER OF the Municipal Act; and
IN THE MATTER OF a proposed by-law of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden to stop up, close and convey to the adjoining landowner, a portion of the original allowance for road, in front of Part of Lot 20, Concession 2, Township of Minden, County of Haliburton.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN pursuant to Section 300(1)(a) of the Municipal Act, R.S.O. 1990, as amended, that the Council of the Corporation of the Townships of Anson, Hindon and Minden proposes to consider, and if deemed advisable, to pass at its regular meeting to be held in the Municipal Council Chambers on Milne Street, Minden, Ontario, on June 8th, 2000 at the hour of 10:00 a.m., a by-law to stop up, close and convey those parcels of land more particularly described as follows:-

A portion of the original allowance for road, along the shore of Kashagawigamog Lake, being Part of Lot 20, Concession 2, designated as Part 2 on Reference Plan No. 19R-6645.

The plan of survey is available for inspection in the Municipal Office, at Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-law at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there, hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-law and who applies to be heard.

DATED AT THE Township of Minden, this 1st day of May, 2000.

Tammy McKelvey, A.M.C.T.,
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CARDS OF THANKS

We would like to express our sincere thanks to all the friends and relatives who helped us through the loss of our Mother, Maud Coulter. A special thank you to all who sent food, flowers, cards and made donations to Charities in her memory. Also, a special thank you to the Minden United Church Women's Group who provided a lovely lunch for our family and friends,and to Monk Funeral Home for the kindness they showed us during this time. To Rev. Ian Fleming for such a loving and personal service and a very special thank you to the nursing staff at Hyland Crest for all the loving care they gave to Mom.
Again, thank you. The kindness the community has shown is the greatest gift of all.
Gala and Adele and families.

AT REST

LAWR
John David Michael
Peacefully, at Sick Children's Hospital on May 16, 2000. Beloved infant son of James and Carol Lawr. Loving brother of Matthew, Kelly, Vincent and Jackie. Loving grandson of Jack and Mary Lawr (Wilberforce) and Ruth Lewis (Toronto), Denver Lewis (Haliburton). Dear nephew of Aunt Jackie and Uncle Joe, Aunt Jeannette and Uncle Sheldon, Aunt Jen and Uncle Philip, Aunt Cathy, Uncles Greg and Andy Lewis. Great Uncle David and Aunt Betty. Dear cousin to Ivan, Jacqueline and David Ouellette. Valerie, John, Donald, Jenny Muise, Sara, Robert, Ronald, Wendy and Amy Nicholls, Cody and Catherine Lawr and Cynthia Bamborough. Also loved by Auntie Ann and Uncle Donny and Carol and Bill Dewey. Friends were invited to call at St. Margaret's Anglican Church, Wilberforce on Saturday, May 20, for Funeral Service at 2 o'clock. Interment Essonville Cemetery, Essonville. As expressions of sympathy, donations to the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation (HHHS Foundation-Birthing Room) would be appreciated by the family. Funeral arrangements were entrusted to the Haliburton Community Funeral Home, Haliburton, Ontario (705) 457-9209.

AT REST

CAIN
Celia
At Haliburton Hospital on Wednesday morning, May 17, 2000 in her 93rd year. Beloved wife of the late Earl Cain. Loving mother of William (Eleanor) of Toronto, Donald (Edith) of Oshawa, Clayton (Shirley) and Robert (Joan) both of Gooderham. Lovingly remembered by her eleven grandchildren and seventeen great grandchildren. Dear sister of Alexander Riel of Peterborough and Alberta Switzer of Gooderham. Predeceased by her daughter Eileen, her sisters Mary, Hannah and brother Leonard. Friends were invited to call at the Haliburton Community Funeral Home, Hwy #118, Haliburton (705) 457-9209 on Friday afternoon May 19, 200 from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. Funeral Service was held in the Chapel on Saturday morning, May 20, 2000 at 11 o'clock. Interment Glamorgan Cemetery, Gooderham. As expressions of sympathy donations to the Heart & Stroke Foundation or the Canadian Diabetes Association would be appreciated by the family.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our Son, Mother, Brother and Sister who have passed away:
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Alma Clarke-June 14, 1952
Harold Clarke-Sept. 22, 1979
Irene Shaw- Dec. 21, 1953
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We love them too dearly
For their memory to fade
From our lives like a dream.
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When our hearts mourn
sincerely,
For grief often dwells
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Robert & Florence
and Bazil Walker.

MOM
Blanche (Nesbitt) Phillip
October 16, 1993
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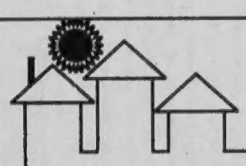

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